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# WHITE'S WINNING WONDERS

DAHLIA CREATIONS

**"True-to-Name"**

1927

WHITE FLORAL COMPANY

PORTLAND, *1414 Albina Avenue* OREGON

*"From the Cheapest that's Good,  
To the Finest that Grows"*

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### **Read This Before You Order**

**ORDER EARLY** before the supply of many varieties is exhausted. Stock will be reserved and shipped the latter part of April, unless we are notified otherwise. Dahlias ordered shipped before April 1st are sent only at purchasers risk of freezing, drying out. etc.

**TERMS**—Cash with order, or before shipment, by Money Order or Bank Draft, making all payable to name below. Stamps (5 or 2c) accepted on small order.

**PREPAID**—Everything in this catalog will be shipped, postpaid, anywhere in the U. S. at prices quoted, except where otherwise stated.

**SUBSTITUTION**—We do not substitute unless asked to do so in the order, but would suggest naming a few as a second choice.

**OUR GUARANTEE**—Every bulb, tuber or plant we send out is guaranteed true-to-name and will, on sufficient proof, replace the next season, any that blooms untrue. We also guarantee all Dahlias to be alive and arrive in good condition, after this our responsibility ceases. Notify us at once in case anything is unsatisfactory or does not grow, after planted a reasonable time. Return the tubers and we will replace them.

**REFERENCE**—U. S. National Bank, Portland,

**NAME and ADDRESS**—Please write your name and address very plain and address all letters, etc., to—

**White Floral Company**

1414 ALBINA AVE.

PORTLAND,

OREGON.

## To A Our Many Customers and Floral Friends:

**W**ITH the coming of another planting season we are greatly pleased in presenting you with this, our 15th Annual Catalog and Cultural Guide.

The great popularity of the Dahlia is ever increasing. This is proven by the yearly increase in the number of dahlia shows and the large and enthusiastic attendance which they always receive.

In our descriptions we try not to exaggerate in any way. We never use, or depend upon an originators description, but try to describe every variety to you the best that we can, in our limited catalog space, as we see them growing in our gardens.

We are proud to call your attention to our latest dahlia originations. Such creations as *Nature's Masterpiece*, *Syncopation*, *Golden Emblem*, *Elizabeth White* and *Veiled Loveliness* have a great future ahead and will be known nationally in a short time.

We thank you, one and all, for all favors in the past, and wish you even greater success in the growing of your dahlias etc., for this coming season.

### TELEPHONES:

WAlnut 3841 or 2212

### WHITE FLORAL COMPANY

PORTLAND 1414 Albina Avenue OREGON

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Members of the Pacific Northwest Dahlia Growers Association and the American Dahlia Society.

*"Dahlias From The Pacific Northwest Grow Best"*

NOTE—All the Dahlias marked with a (†) are Pacific Northwest originations

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### DISCOUNT ON LARGE ORDERS

On all orders for Dahlias, Gladioli, Cannas and Bedding Plants (nothing else) amounting to \$10.00 or more, you may select extra Dahlias (except collections) amounting to 10 per cent of the total, free of charge

### ORDERS MAILED PROMPTLY

During April and early May, when we have the Big Rush of mail orders coming in at the same time that we have the heaviest greenhouse trade, it is generally impossible to keep up with all orders. This Spring we will have facilities for filling mail orders at night when such work can be done, without interruption.

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## Plant Dahlia Plants -- One-third cheaper than tubers.

All the Dahlias prefixed with a ★ in this catalog, can also be supplied in the form of Growing Plants, from 3 inch pots. Ready for delivery about May 10th to June 10th at prices stated below. They will be sent by parcel post Prepaid.

Dahlia Plants are NOT Seedlings and will bloom absolutely true to the variety of tubers from which they are taken. All plants we send out are propagated properly, and will form tubers for you for planting the next spring. Remember, some sorts are always shy root producers.

**Prices are as follows:-** (*Price of Tubers in light face type and Plant price in dark face.*)  
 50c varieties for 35c; 75c for 50c; \$1.00 for 65c; \$1.25 for 80c; \$1.75 for \$1.00; \$2.00 for \$1.25; \$2.50 for \$1.50; \$3.50 for \$2.00; \$4.00 for \$2.50; \$5.00 for \$3.25; \$7.50 for \$5.00 and \$10.00 varieties for \$6.00. All prices quoted in this catalog are for tubers.

Dahlia plants will give equal or better results than tubers, if given a little more care in their early growth. In our own Show Garden we have always used them whenever obtainable. This season we are much better prepared to grow them, and intend using them almost exclusively for our display plants. However, we do not recommend "plants" to the new beginner but will venture to say that they are preferred by practically all experienced growers and especially when prize-winning blooms are desired for the Fall Dahlia Shows. You will never know all about Dahlias before giving plants a fair trial.

Our experience and method of packing plants for shipment by parcel post, enables us to guarantee that they will arrive at their destination in perfect condition. They can be sent with safety for a distance requiring from three to four days in transit.



# How To Grow Dahlias Successfully

The Dahlia of to-day is one of the easiest of all flowers to grow and will produce more flowers, size considered, than any other plant grown, if these simple cultural directions are followed closely. Prepare the soil thoroughly by spading the ground 12 to 18 inches deep in the Fall, if possible, and again in the Spring, pulverizing it as much as you can. If soil is quite sandy, some well rotted manure thoroly mixed in, will be of great help to hold the moisture.

Very heavy or clay soil is greatly benifited by adding some coarse sand or coal ashes. One of the best times to cultivate Dahlias, etc., is before you plant. Work your soil thoroly. If your soil will grow good potatoes, you can easily grow Dahlias and Gladioli successfully. On very poor soil work in a little well-rotted manure or bone meal, but don't overdo it. Don't plant Dahlias or Gladioli too near the roots of rank growing trees or shrubs.

When possible, give your dahlias a bed 6 feet wide, planting two rows down the middle. Select an open, sunny situation, although they do quite well in partial shade if given a little more space or keep well thinned out. Getting full benefit of all the morning sun only is ideal. Don't plant Dahlia roots too close. They should have at least three feet of space.

Don't plant too early. Dahlias dislike to bloom during the hot, dry, summer weather. They are really an Autumn flower and should not bloom till the summer is about over. From early May to first of June is the planting time we recommend for Portland and similar climates. This will give you flowers from the middle of August to heavy frost. However, those living near the ocean, or those having success with them flowering in the summer, plant in early April.

Never stand the tuber on end when planting. Lay flat in the hole 6 to 8 inches deep. The size of any tuber makes no difference as long as it has one good strong eye or sprout. Put sand under your bulb, 2 or 3 in. of soil over it, and the other 3 or 4 in. after it is up.

Allow only one sprout to grow from each tuber. You will get more and larger blooms. When plants have made their second or third set of leaves, pinch out the top—sure, we do. This causes the plant to grow a stout branch at the base of each of the four or six leaves left. If buds form on plants too young, pick them off—let the plants grow first and then bloom. Best fertilizer for young, growing Dahlia plants is the hoe and elbow grease every few days.

You can easily overwater, when plants are young, but you can not over cultivate them. It is much better not to water, than to allow a crust to form, after watering—cultivate lightly. Daily surface sprinklings do more harm than good—soak the beds thoroughly when needed. It is far better to give a dahlia seven buckets of water in one day, than 1 a day for 7 days. Dahlias like plenty of water when in bloom but can't stand wet feet. How is your drainage? To have the greatest success is to **keep them growing**, but as strong and sturdy as possible. You will get few, if any, blooms (and inferior) from growth that is hardened or stunted.

When buds appear, stop all deep cultivation and give the beds a mulch of manure, leaves, grass clippings, etc. If sufficient mulching is not available, make a shallow basin around each plant, and fill well with mulching. Every week or ten days, scatter more manure or other fertilizer over the beds. Feeding in liquid form is best but don't give too much at one time.

If you want larger Dahlias and of greater substance with longer, stronger stems—**disbud**. When the size of peas, pinch off all buds in a cluster except the largest, unless it is deformed.

To help prevent disease, give your Dahlias a shower bath daily, during dry, hot weather. Never leave Dahlias in the ground over winter. Store in a frost proof place, like potatoes.

A few days after the tops have been blackened by a heavy frost, late in the Fall, cut them off and dig carefully so as not to break the necks of tubers. Remove most of the soil, but not necessarily all of it. If possible, dig on a sunny day, allowing clumps to dry as much as possible before storing, cutting off the remaining hollow stalk as close to tubers as you can. If troubled with wet rot, turn clumps upside down or, split stalk and clump in halves.

**KEEPING DAHLIA BLOOMS WHEN CUT**—Cut flowers as late as possible in the evening or very early in the morning, while the dew is still on them. Cut with long stems and dip the ends of the stems (2 to 3 inches) in almost boiling water for 20 seconds to one minute, depending on length and texture of the stem. Then immediately submerge them put them in a cool place, away from all draft vases. The more of the stem you can have in the water in your vases, the longer the blooms will keep fresh. When cutting dahlia blooms try and select those that are in their prime, as those not fully developed will wilt easily.



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## "VEILED LOVELINESS"

(White's M.W. 5)

Received Certificate of Merit at Northwest Trial Grounds, scoring 87 Exhibition.

This new Wonder creation is really an exceptional giant Decorative dahlia. The color is blush white with the reverse of petals flushed baby pink, or, one might say it is a lovely pale pink behind a veil of white veined with pink. Sturdy plants of medium height with perfectly formed blooms, 8 to 10 inches across (and they look every bit of it) with no sign of coarseness. The blooms are held well above the foliage, at just the right angle to show to best advantage, on very stout stems. It strongly appeals to, and captivates at first glance, practically every visitor to our gardens. There is something most attractive about it which we can not explain. Fine substance and grand for exhibition or garden. Strong tubers, **\$10.00**





(White's I. W. 5.) **"NATURE'S MASTERPIECE"** 'Utterly different',

Scored 93 Exhibition at the Northwest Trial Grounds.

Nature was so generous in her use of colors in this wonder creation, that, ever since it first bloomed some four years ago, we have wondered how we would describe it's peculiar but fascinating shade. Here is our feeble attempt. A most elegant, rich combination of old rose, cinnamon and metallic bronze, blended into one color, suffused with mulberry. In addition to this it's effectiveness is increased by a violet shaded reflex. A most wonderful dahlia that will soon gain a national reputation, as one of the greatest dahlias of all time. It's enormous size, great depth, wonderful coloring and strong growth with cane-like stems holding blooms perfectly erect, is unsurpassed. The petal formation is as near perfect as possible, having no sign of coarseness. **Stock very limited.** Tubers, Each, **\$12.50**



# WHITE'S WINNING WONDERS

## Newest Creations for 1927

They ARE DISTINCTLY DIFFERENT. STRIKINGLY SUPERIOR. IRRESISTIBLY INTERESTING. A PREORDAINED PRIZEWINNERS. not EXCESSIVELY EXPENSIVE.

NOW BEING OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC FOR THE FIRST TIME

**FASCINATOR**—Full-petaled Peony type—This is one of the most effective dahlias, and even more so at a little distance off. Flowers are of a pleasing rosy cerise for about two-thirds of the length of the petals, then softens suddenly to a deep orchid pink. This gives them a tipped appearance which is most attractive and fascinating. The blooms will average 7 inches across and are produced very freely all season on long, strong stems. Tubers Each, **\$3.50**

**OREGON AUTUMN**—(No. M. W. 7.)—*Decorative*—If you like rich, autumn colored dahlias that are held perfectly erect on top of strong wire-like stems, you'll like this new one. The form, size and position of the blooms on the stems are identical with that unsurpassed Holland variety "*Insulinda*" (page 16), but of better substance and much more lasting as a cut flower. The color is a rich golden buff, with the underside of the wavy petals a very odd cinnamon rose shade. The contrast of these two shades on a plant is quite effective. Sturdy grower of medium height and blooms aplenty all thru the season. Tubers Each, **\$5.00**

### White's Winning Wonders of 1926 and 1925

**AUTUMN GIANT**—A monster dahlia of an ideal autumn shade. See page 29 for description.

**SYNCOPEATION**—Decorative Cactus—Almost everyone that sees this big jazzy colored dahlia in our gardens is "just crazy about it". If you like bright bi-color combinations, this wonderful, large sort will make an irresistible appeal to you. Buff yellow with center of each petal a deep cherry red, blending together beautifully. Very distinct. Strong, vigorous grower of medium height with large, leathery foliage and long stout stems that hold the blooms in a perfectly erect position, far above the foliage. One of the most effective for garden or exhibition. Nothing like it. Each, **\$4.00**

Syncopeation scored 86 Exhibition at the Northwest Trial Grounds, but scores practically 100 per cent in popularity with visitors at our Gardens and Dahlia Show exhibits.

**Golden Emblem**—*The Wonder Yellow*. Turn to page 30 for description.

**BLUSHING MONARCH**—Decorative Cactus — Produces huge, massive flowers; perfect form and great depth with extra heavy, long stems. Glistening pearly white, lightly flushed pale rose. Of very rank, branching growth, needing a little thinning after mid-season. An unusual creation greatly admired at our gardens. Each, **\$2.50**

**OREGON RUSSET** — Peony-flowered type — This is always a revelation to all who see it in bloom in our display gardens. Of giant size and beautiful, informal shape with curling petaloids around center. Early and profuse bloomer with splendid stems, lasting exceptionally well as a cut flower. A distinct and very attractive color hard to describe. The center of flower is a rich golden ochre, quickly blending to bronzy salmon and heavily shaded sunset red on outer half of petals. Medium height. A wonderful 'wonder' that we can be justly proud of. Each, **\$4.00**

**SUN-KISSED** — Decorative Cactus — A soft golden yellow touched with a coppery tint on outer petals. Good yellow dahlias are not plentiful, and for size, freedom and continuity of bloom, few dahlias can equal this one. A wonderfully showy garden plant looking as if it were a huge bouquet. A rapid, healthy grower of medium height with the monster flowers and stems held very erect. Each, **\$3.00**

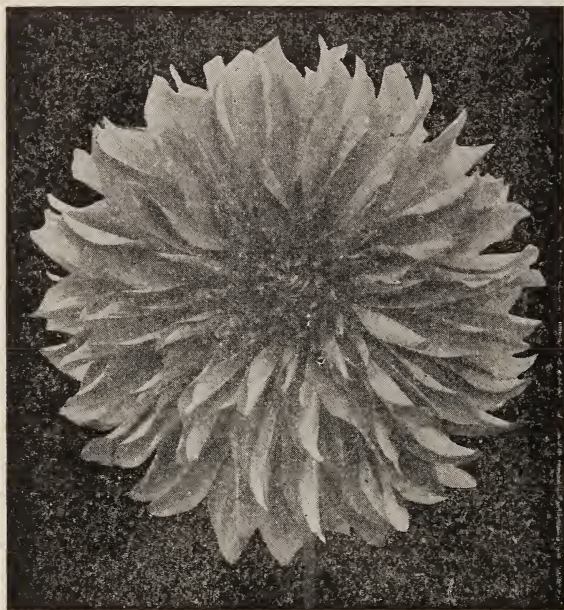
**SPECIAL OFFER**—One tuber each of Blushing Monarch, Autumn Giant & Sun-kissed for only **\$6.50**

## Watch and Wait for White's Winning Wonders for 1928

TWO OF THE LEADERS TO BE OFFERED ARE "OREGON DEFIANCE" and "TWILIGHT AGLOW"

# WHITE'S WINNING WONDERS

## OF PREVIOUS INTRODUCTION



ELIZABETH WHITE

### 'ELIZABETH WHITE'

Giant Decorative

A dahlia named in memory of our mother. Naturally, it had to be something appropriate and of the highest possible merit and that would soon become a universal favorite, and remain such. In this new wonder creation we have found our ideal. The giant flowers, 8 and 9 in. in diameter, are of very perfect and refined form. The long, individual stems are all that one could ask for, and no extra large dahlia will bloom better. The color is simply beautiful and pleases everyone. Best described as a rich combination of coral pink and salmon, intensified by a bright amber-like glow at the base of petals and throughout the entire flower. An ideal grower of medium height. Each, **\$4.00**

S A. 6. (Elizabeth White) Scored 88 points Commercial at the new Northwest Trial Grounds of the A. D. S. at Puyallup, Wn.

**INDEPENDENCE**—Decorative—Blossoms are 8 to 9 inches across and 6 to 7 inches in depth. Imagine these heavy blossoms standing most rigidly erect on the finest of stems, looking you right in the eye. Plants are of sturdy growth. The color is an attractive deep mauve pink or lilac. Withstands more abuse from rain and storms than most any other large dahlia we have grown. Late in some seasons this changes to a beautiful giant peony dahlia, admired as much or even more than when so double, M.e.g.c. **\$2.50**

**MOONLIGHT GLOW**—Full Peony type. One of the largest of all, with broad petals and tiny florets clustered around center. Color is soft salmon pink, flushed with delicate pastel rose on outer petals and shading to a creamy glow at the heart. A strong, robust grower and splendid stems. You'll like this one, T.e.g. **2.50**

**PACIFIC SUNSET**—An immense Peony, often over 10 in. across, and looks every bit as large as it measures, as each petal is over  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. in width almost its entire length. The color is a soft and very pleasing shade of salmon buff, suffused with apricot on the outer half of the petals. An ideal autumn shade and a free bloomer. The stems are strong and extra long. Last but not least, it is more **FRAGRANT** than any of the other so-called, sweet scented dahlias ever introduced. *Stock limited.* Each, **\$2.50**

**SACAJAWEA**—Peony-flowered—Color and shape of petals similar to our 'Pacific Sunset', but stems are even longer and very erect on tall, healthy plants. The small petals clustered around the center are so numerous at times, the blooms look 'freakish'. Soft apricot buff, suffused salmon red. Very fine, T.g.c. **\$2.00**

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 9**—One tuber each of the above 5 Giant Wonders for only, **\$9.00.**



# WHITE'S WINNING WONDERS

## Continued

**Autumn Marvel**—The color is a most beautiful pure, golden buff. The blooms are large of the full peony type. Upright grower, constant bloomer and extra long, stems, T. g. c. .50

**Bronze Giant**—Decorative—Generally, we prefer names that give some idea of the color, etc. of a flower. In this, the name is about all that is necessary. Of a rich brownish bronze, almost globular in its form on stout stems. D. e. g. Each, \$1.50

**GLENDENNING**—Decorative—Is similar in form to our "Jack London", which has become such a big favorite. An elegant glowing crimson, with a darker center. Ideal upright grower with huge flowers erect on extra long, strong stems above the foliage. Something more than just another red dahlia. T. e. g. c. \$2.00

**JACK LONDON**—Red decoratives are quite numerous, but no one could resist this, when seen growing in our Gardens. Strong, erect growth; stems are long. The large blooms are held upright and the color is a dazzling vermilion scarlet, T. e. g. c. .75

**Lady Valdine**—Decorative—Produces large flowers from early till late on extra fine, long stems. It has a rather new color tone, best described as deep bluish lavender, having a decided bluish cast at twilight. Strong grower, T. g. c. \$1.00

**Orange Brilliant**—Peony-Dec.—A glistening semi-ball in a distinct pure orange shade, on fine stems. In offering this we feel it will appeal strongly to those who wish something bright and cheerful, easily grown and useful for bouquets and garden decoration. In these respects it's hard to beat, D. g. c. .75

**ORVILLE A. STEVENS**—Ideal Peony dahlia on strong, erect stems for cutting. Distinct light orange scarlet color. A strong, upright habit and blooms very freely, T. g. c. .30

**OREGON SUNSET**—Giant Peony-flowered blooms of rich golden yellow, heavily suffused bronzy crimson. Free flowering and a vigorous grower; fine stems, M. e. g. c. \$1.00

**PRIDE of AUTUMN**—A Decorative of various autumn shades, from buff to a coppery old rose. Long upright stems and flowers. It is bound to please anyone, M. g. c. .60

**Pride of Portland**—(Peony type) Is quite similar to the ever popular 'Geisha' in color, but the yellow is brighter and the red richer; A healthy, robust grower, blooming constantly. Large size; fine stems, T. e. g. c. .75

**SPECIAL**—We will send **postpaid**, one tuber each of **BRONZE GIANT & LADY VALDINE** for, \$1.90

## 8 European Importations for 1927

THIS YEAR IS THE FIRST TIME OFFERED IN THE U. S. STOCK LIMITED

\***MAD. ELISE PEETERS**—Very pleasing soft lilac rose, shading lighter in the center. A fine large flower held rigidly erect on best of stems. Ideal habit of growth and a most lasting cut flower. Belgian Decorative receiving Certificate of Merit at Brussels, M. g. c. \$5.00

\***Mr. EUGENE DRAFS**—Belgian Hybrid cactus of unusual coloring. Deep cerise red with ends of petals pure white. Very free flowering on rigid stems. Quite showy, M. g. c. 3.50

\***NAGEL'S ROEM**—A distinct type of Hybrid Cactus of large size borne aloft on very rigid stems. Naples yellow, tinted salmon and chamoise. One of the best dahlias of Belgian origin, receiving 3 1st Class Certificates in France and Belgium, M. e. g. c. \$5.00

\***NAGEL'S WITTE**—Well formed flowers of purest white. Free flowering on strong stems high above foliage; excellent cut flower. Certificate of Merit, Haarlem, Holland, M. g. 3.50

\***RAPALLO**—Medium size blooms of velvety mahogany red reverse and tips gold. Blooms profusely; striking cut flower, D. g. c. 2.50

\***SECRETARY VOORS**—A wonderful medium sized dahlia for cut flowers; extra long, erect stems. Salmon rose and gold, M. g. c. 5.00

\***SIGNOOR**—A new Belgian creation that is unequalled in its color and type. One of, if not the finest, blood red Hybrid Cactus dahlias to date. Ideal erect growth with long, stiffly erect stems and flowers. The large, incurved blooms have a distinct and artistic petal formation and always full in the center to the last. Of very lasting substance. Highest Awards in Belgium, M. e. g. c. \$5.00

\***VIEIL ANVERS**—A fine upright plant with distinctly shaped flowers held erect on top of extra stout stems. Soft pinkish salmon tinted old rose and violet M. g. \$3.50

EXPLANATION—Capitals after descriptions signify the height: T, grows above 4 ft.; M, Medium; and D, under 3 ft. (e), the best for exhibition; (g), for garden; (c), for cut flowers

## CACTUS DAHLIAS

Probably the most popular type of the Dahlia family. Many resemble the Chrysanthemum in form and have an unlimited range of colors. Most have incurved, narrow petals; some are almost straight and others quite broad.

**ALEX. KENNEDY**—Large dark crimson on long stems. Form of 'F. W. Fellows,' T. .50

**AMBER GLOW**—Bright yellow, orange tinted center. Immense size; narrow petals. .50

**AUBURN BEAUTY**—Light bronze, passing to buff center. Distinct form and color. .30

**\*BALLET GIRL**—An extra large, deep flower; a mass of narrow incurved petals of pure orange, white with orange base and other variations of these colors on the same bush. Free flowering; very attractive, M.e.g. \$1.00

**\*BONNIE G.**—Pure, soft pink. Strong grower, producing its large blooms well above foliage in great profusion. With all lovers of pink dahlias this wonderful new variety is bound to be a great favorite, T. e. g. c. \$1.50

**\*BORDER KING**—Large, incurved flower of deep, rich glowing scarlet. A beautiful exhibition variety and its long, stout, upright stems and freedom of bloom makes this an ideal dahlia for any purpose, M.e.g.c. .75

**BRITISHER**—Large, rich crimson red with incurved petals and long stems, M. g. c. .50

**CAMBRIAN**—A yellowish salmon of irregularly incurved form. Upright habit, T. .30

**\*CANARY**—Pure, clear yellow of the perfect incurved type. Fine erect habit, M. g. .50

**CARONA**—A giant yellow with very narrow nearly straight petals; strong growth, T.e. .50

**CHAS. SHERBROOKE**—Rich scarlet with reverse of petals old gold. Beautiful and unusual coloring. Large incurved flower of true cactus form. Fine stems, T.g.c. .50

**CONSTANCE**—Soft amber yellow, tinted rose; large, full flower; free bloomer, M. .30

**CONQUEST**—A dark rich crimson-maroon of large size with narrow, slightly incurved and twisted petals; long, erect stem, T. c. .30

**COUNTESS of LONSDALE**—Salmon red to old rose. One of the most reliable and satisfactory dahlias ever grown, D. g. c. .25

**CURLEW**—Peculiar tyrian rose shade. Long narrow, incurved petals; strong stems, M..50

**EMPRESS**—Desirable shade of light magenta. Large incurved flower; free bloomer, M. .30



Mrs. Douglas Fleming

F. W. Fellows

**EDITH CARTER**—Yellow, heavily tipped bright carmine. Very erect habit and stems. A showy flower, admired by all, T.g.c. .35

**FRANCES GRAHAM**—A bold salmon-rose colored flower, held erect on excellent stems. A free bloomer; recommended, M. g. c. .50

**\*F. W. FELLOWS**—One of the largest of all cactus dahlias, quite often over 8 in. across. Pure orange-scarlet with very narrow and almost straight petals. Never fails to attract attention. Very good habit and long, wiry stems; extra fine, T. e. g. c. .60

**GEN. SMITH DORRIEN**—Pure light scarlet, always a mass of bloom. A favorite with all visitors in our gardens. M. g. .30

**\*GEO. L. STILLMAN**—A large, beautifully formed flower of velvety light maroon. Extra tall with long, graceful stems. Free bloomer and attractive garden plant, T. g. .75

**\*GLADYS BATES**—Immense, heavy blooms of soft tan color, tinted old rose. Perfectly formed blooms in profusion on fine, erect stems. Greatly admired by all and a dahlia we can highly recommend, D. e. g. c. \$1.25

**IRENE SATIS**—Of large size and perfect form of a bright amber tinted bronze, M.g.c. .50

**\*LOLITA VELASCO**—Very large, pure white, with long, almost straight petals. Perfect form held erect on long stems. M.e.g.c. \$1.50

**MELODY**—Incurved clear yellow, generally tipped with pure white, M. .35

**\*MINNIE MARDEN**—A large lovely watermelon pink of perfect form, stems and keeping qualities. An excellent bloomer. M.g.c. \$1.50



- \*MISS JUDD**—A beautiful sulphur yellow, delicately tinted light pink on outer florets. Very incurved and an extra free bloomer with good upright stems, M. g. c. .50
- \*MODEL**—Yellow ground shading to a lovely pinkish color, with yellow tips. Beautiful incurved form and fine stems, T.e.g.c. .60
- MODELL**—Clear yellow, with rosy lilac tips. Free and constant bloomer on erect stems. A favorite; always reliable, M. g. c. .30
- \*MRS. ALFRED HARVEY**—Large, gracefully incurved flower of an odd light salmon pink. An extra fine new English variety with good stems and habit, M. e. g. \$1.25
- \*MRS. C. A. GILLET**—A monster narrow petaled cactus—9 to 10 inches across. Rich rose pink with clear yellow base and tips. Best new cactus from England, T.e.g. 2.50
- MRS. C. COOPER**—Creamy salmon. Very long narrow, straight petals; extra large. .50
- \*MRS. DOUG. FLEMING**—Without doubt one of the best whites. Very narrow, incurved florets, and so numerous as to make monster flowers. Extra free and constant; erect stem, M. e. g. c. .75
- \*MRS. EDNA SFENCER**—A delicate shade of orchid lavender. Large flower of beautiful form held erect on stout stems. Exceptionally free bloomer; strong grower, M.g.c. .60
- MRS. FREEMAN THOMAS**—Very pretty shade of rich salmon pink, slightly tinted heliotrope. Flowers are of good size and perfect form; erect on fine stems, M. g. c. .30
- OREGON**—A distinct, brilliant deep rosy cerise. Flowers of perfect form freely produced on long stems. Keeps well, T.g.c. 1.50
- PATHFINDER** — Attractive, pure rose pink. Long, narrow, incurved petals. Rare, T.e. .35
- \*PATRIOT**—A large, perfectly incurved flower of bright crimson, held above the foliage on long, stiff stems. One of the best, T.e.g.c. .50
- PENNANT**—Beautiful deep clear coral of finest incurved type; fine stem, M.g.c. .50
- PIERROT**—Lovely deep amber, usually bold tipped white. Flowers are of immense size and very double, M. e. .35
- \*PLANET**—Lavender pink, penciled bright carmine. Large flowers with narrow, neatly incurved florets. Fine stems; free, M. e. c. .50
- \*RHEINISCHER FROHSINN** — Beautiful luminous carmine-rose, changing to cream at the base. A distinct and refined variety that should be in every collection; fine stems and a free bloomer, M. e. g. c. .50
- \*REGENT**—A clear, mauve pink of a distinct tone. Very large of pleasing incurved formation. Great bloomer; good stems, M.e.g. \$1.00
- ROYALIST**— Beautifully formed, large and incurved. A soft coral red shade, M. .50
- SALMON QUEEN**—A light old rose with salmon suffusion; finest of stems, T.g.c. .30
- SAMARITAN**—Purest white. Very free flowering sort; medium-sized, star shaped blooms are perfectly erect on wiry stems, M. g. c. .30
- \*SENTINEL**—Giant incurved flower on stout stems. Bright, light tyrian rose, T. e. .50
- \*SILVERHILL PARK**—Glistering white. Is massive in size, beautifully incurved in form and perfect centers. A strong, healthy grower with good flower stems, T. e. \$1.00
- SOUV. de MAD. NAGELS**—Beautiful velvety maroon, barely tipped with gold. A very fine variety in every way, M. g. c. .50
- ST. ELIAS**—A pure white cactus with slightly incurved, claw-shaped petals. Very free flowering and has fine stems, M. g. .75
- VALIANT**— Giant flower of bright crimson. Strong robust grower; free bloomer, T.e. .50
- VALPARAISO**—Beautiful and distinct shade of reddish coral. Large, incurved flowers on fine stems; constant bloomer, M.g.c. .30
- \*VICAR OF WASPERTON**—Extra large with narrow incurved petals. Pretty shade of soft, delicate pink, passing to pale yellow at the base of the petals. Profuse bloomer; distinct and in great demand, M. e. g. .75
- \*VULCAN**—Large, incurved velvety maroon with small secondary white florets at base of petals; free-flowering; fine stems, M.e.g. .75
- WASHINGTON**—Beautiful soft crimson with narrow, incurved petals. Splendid free-flowering habit with long, wiry stems, T. .30

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**SPECIAL OFFER No. 7**—One tuber each of Edith Carter, Royalist, Patriot and Gen. Smith Dorrien (*Value \$1.65*), sent postpaid for only,..... \$1.50

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## Are Our Dahlia Trials Very Extensive?

During the past several years we have thoroughly tested the merits of about 2000 named varieties of Dahlias. Out of this number we have discarded all but about 500 of them. This leaves the "the survival of the fittest" listed in our catalog. *Draw your own conclusions.*

See page 1.

(\*) Can also supply PLANTS of these.

# DECORATIVE-CACTUS DAHLIAS

ALSO CALLED HYBRID CACTUS

These are between the Cactus and Decorative in form and are rapidly becoming the most popular. As a type are strong growers with fine stems

\***ABBIE E. WILKINS**—Light flesh; reverse of petals shaded cerise. Large, bold flowers with fairly strong stems, M. g. c. .75

\***ALICE WHITTIER**—One of the finest and largest of the newer prize-winners. Clear sulphur yellow; good substance. Massive blooms of most perfect form; long stiff stems. No doubt the best light yellow, T. e. g. \$7.50

\***AMBASSADOR**—One of the largest. Salmon yellow, tinted amber and pink. Strong in growth and stem. Free and constant bloomer. Sometimes has open center, M.e. \$1.00

**ATTRACTION**—Large flower of pure rosy lilac. Extra strong, long stems, D. g. c. .75

\***BANDIT, THE**—A striking color combination. Vivid red, reverse buff yellow. Petals twist, showing the reverse color, which attracts instant attention. Stems erect and wiry; good substance. One of the finest new Eastern dahlias. Quite distinct, M.g.c. 7.50

**BECKY SHARP**—Attractive currant red with † yellow at base of petals. A favorite in great demand. Good size and extra fine stem for cutting. Very free, M. g. c. \$1.50

\***BOB PLEUSE**—Large wine-maroon, attractively tipped and marked white. Fine stems and blooms freely. Very showy, M.g.c. \$2.00

**CALIFORNIA ENCHANTRESS** —Lovely pink shade. Erect stems and a very profuse bloomer. Perfectly formed, M. g. c. .50

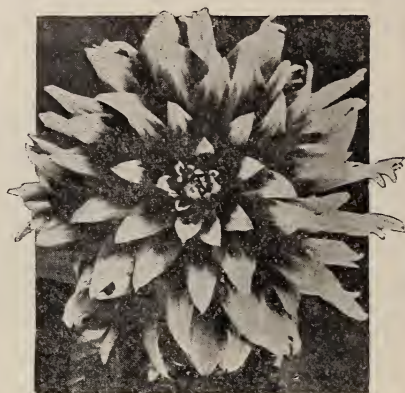
\***CIGARETTE**—A most attractive color; pure orange tipped creamy white. Very full petal-  
ed large blooms carried erect on fine stems. A good and showy cut-flower, M.e.g.c. 1.75

**CINDERELLA**—A large, deep, full flower of pale salmon or fawn pink, shading to tan in the center. Very free. of bloom, M. 2.00

**CLAREMONT**—Exquisite soft pink with cream shadings. Beautiful flower with curly petals on very good long stems, T. g. \$1.00

\***GEO. WALTERS**— One of the largest and best varieties to date. Salmon pink with gold suffusion in the center. Wonderful bloomer, with long, stout stems. A leader and always in great demand, M. e. g. c. .75

\***DADDY BUTLER**—Beautiful rosy carmine with lighter reverse, which often shows at tip giving the giant blooms the effect of being tipped. Dandy long stems, profuse bloomer and a lasting cut-flower, T. e. g. c. 1.50



DECORATIVE-CACTUS TYPE

**ETENDARD DE LYON**—Pleasing, carmine rose with a brilliant magenta suffusion. Large and very free; stout, erect stems, M. g. .30

\***ETHEL M**—One of the largest on strongest erect stems. Beautiful deep rose pink blending to white tips and center, M.e.g.c. 2.50

\***EXQUISITE**—One of the most exquisite of color combinations found in a dahlia. A soft salmon pink and cream. Long, wiry erect stems. Extra fine cut flower, M.g.c. \$1.00

**FARNCOT**—A rich and pleasing petunia rose color evenly tipped blush. A most distinct, attractive and refined flower; perfectly erect on finest of stems. No dahlia keeps better cut. Utterly different, M.g.c. Plants, 2.50

\***FRANCIS LOBDELL**—Mellow pink with white center. Large and of perfect form with stems like canes. Very free, D.e.g.c. 1.00

**GLADYS ELEANOR** — Not an extra large † dahlia but heads the list when a quantity of bright yellow blooms is wanted, T.g.c. \$2.00

**GOLDEN WEST**—Very bright orange buff in color. Large blooms erect on good stems. A free bloomer; popular cut-flower, M.g.c. .35

**HOFFNUNG**—A very beautiful chamoise rose with light yellow at the base of the long, incurved petals; very free; large, M. g. .30

\***ISLAM PATROL**—Dark velvety scarlet, tipped and flushed with gold. Very showy and distinct new variety. Strong, free flowering growth, M. g. c. \$2.50



**ISMALIA**—Very rich, velvety maroon, shaded with blood red. The huge bold flowers are held erect on extra stout stems. A new and rare variety of great merit, D. e. g. **\$1.00**

\***JEAN CHAZOT**—A delightful golden bronze, tinted nasturtium red. Long, wiry stems and erect flowers. A pleasure to grow. M.g.c. **\$1.**

\***J. W. LEE**—Very large, full, graceful blooms † on good stems. Color is soft orange, overlaid scarlet. Strong grower; profuse, T.e.g.c. **\$1.50**

\***KALIF**—An immense pure deep scarlet with broad tapering petals. Very fine, erect, free-flowering habit with long, stiff stems. One of the best in cultivation, M. e. g. c. **.50**

\***LADY HELEN**—Peculiar bronzy pink barely suffused and veined with white. Magnificent large flowers standing erect on long stems. One of the best. T.e.g.c. **\$1.00**

**LA FAVORITE**—Beautiful brilliant salmon, tinted darker in center. Giant flowers of perfect form carried erect on strong stems. Early and constant bloomer, M. e. g. **.75**

\***MAC GREGOR**—Pleasing shade of soft red. † An early, free and constant bloomer. Large, full flower on good stem; healthy, M. **\$2.00**

\***MARIPOSA**—A rich shade of true pink with a deeper colored center. Of gigantic size yet of refined and beautiful form. Has extra long stout stems. Blooms constantly, T.e.g.c. **2.50**

**MARCHIONESS**—A monstrous flower on † long stems. Phlox pink with pale lavender center, shaded white, T. e. c. **\$2.00**

**MILTON EDWARDS**—Odd shade of orange red or henna. Large flowers with claw like petals, held very erect on long, extra rigid stems, high above foliage, M. e. g. **.75**

\***Mme. VICTOR CAYEUX**—Large but most gracefully formed flower of pleasing orange chrome with gold suffusion. Free and erect on cane-like stems; distinct and rare, M.e.g.c. **\$2.**

\***MRS. ETHEL F. T. SMITH**—Without a doubt one of the largest grown. We have had blooms 10 inches in diameter. Beautiful cream color, shaded lemon. Profuse bloomer; flowers held erect on long stems, T.e.g.c. **.75**

**MRS. W. E. ESTES**—Probably the largest and one of the finest pure white dahlias to date. The giant flowers are held high above the foliage on strong stems, T.e.g. **.75**

**MINAMOTO**—An enormous bright scarlet...A very free bloomer; strong grower, T. g. **.50**

\***MRS. WARNAAR**—Wonderful Holland variety of mammoth size, erect on good stems. Creamy white, tinted pale pink. By far one of the finest of all, M. e. g. c. **.75**

**NAGEL'S WONDER**—New Belgian creation of bright scarlet with tips and reverse gold. Petals tightly rolled and incurved, T.g. **2.50**

\***NEW MOON**—Large, rich clear yellow, generally attractively tipped pure white. A very free bloomer; quite distinct, M. e. **.75**

**ORO FINO**—A very fine clear yellow of large size. Stem is long and strong and it blooms early and very freely, M. g. **.75**

\***ROYCROFT**—A striking color and a distinct † form. Pure cinnamon buff with deeper center. Early and constant bloomer with full center till frost. Stems are good, M. g. c. **5.00**

\***SULPHURIA**—An extra large, clear sulphur yellow without shading. Early, wonderfully free and most constant bloomer. Petals are narrow, slightly rolled; whorled and reflexed. Fine in every way, M. e. g. c. **.50**

\***SHIRLEY BROWN**—Extra large, deep flower of a rich blending of apricot and old gold. Long, wiry stems; free bloomer, M.e.g. **\$1.00**

\***SISKIYOU**—Enormous in size, often 11 in. in diameter. Color is pink, tinged mauve. If you are looking for a prizewinner for largest dahlia, try this. Cane-like stem, M.e.g. **2.50**

\***SOLE MIO**—A large deep golden color of perfect form. Very erect on strong stems. Broad pointed petals. One of the newer Californians of real merit. M.e.g. **4.00**

\***SUNNY SOUTH**—Bright clear yellow. Immense flowers of pleasing form. Sturdy grower and stiffly erect stems, D. e. g. **\$2.50**

\***TAWNEY BOY**—One of the largest to date. † Showy, reddish orange suffused scarlet and sometimes shading to white tips, M.e.g. **7.50**

**TOM LUNDY**—A gigantic rich crimson. Free and constant bloomer on fair stems. Robust grower and always satisfactory, M.e.g. **.50**

**VIOLA PHILLIPS**—A large soft salmon rose shade. Good grower with very perfect blooms erect on long stout stems. A new and rare dahlia of great merit for cutting, M.g.c. **2.50**

### Many Dahlias Not Listed

If you do not find the varieties you want in this catalog, write us. We have many of which stock is too limited this season to catalog. But we will be glad to quote you our lowest prices on them.

### YOUR DAHLIA TROUBLES

Tell them to us and we will help you to the best of our knowledge, as our success depends a great deal upon your success.

### Special Offer of Giant Decorative Cactus

Four of the largest and best.

**Geo. Walters**, Salmon pink

**La Favorite**, Orange salmon

**Sulphurea**, Sulphur yellow

**ISMALIA**, Giant deep blood red.

Regular value of above is **\$3.00**. Will send 1 strong tuber of each for only, **\$1.85**

See Page 21 for Special Offer of Giants.

# PEONY DAHLIAS

This type contains the large, fluffy, artistically formed flowers that have become so popular recently. They are the freest and most constant bloomers of the large dahlias and most all of them are excellent for a showy and constant garden display.

**\*ARCTIC**—Absolutely snow white. Heavily † petaled, yet fluffy and graceful. Often 8 and 9 in. across. Fine habit, stems, M. e.g. .75

**BILLIONAIRE**—One of the largest dahlias. Color is bright golden orange. Long, graceful stems. Very showy color, M. e. .75

**BLACK BEAUTY**—A velvety maroon, often shaded with violet. Attractive flowers on good stems; a free bloomer, M. g. .50

**\*BLUE BIRD**—Unusual tone of deep mauve or lilac. Monster blooms, held erect on long, stems in great profusion. A rare novelty and much admired, M. e. g. \$1.00

**CITY OF PORTLAND**—One of the grandest new peony dahlias. The blooms are often † 8 and 9 inches in diameter of very artistic form. Color is a clear, rich, deep yellow. An ideal cut-flower, having long, strong stems and good keeping qualities. Vigorous grower; flowers freely all season, M.e.g.c. .75

**\*CHANSON**—Deep lilac with a bluish sheen. Broad flat petaled blooms of great substance on long, stiff stems, T.e.g.c. \$1.00

**COUR DE LA PAIX**—Dark salmon rose, tinted lilac. Similar to 'Van Dyck' but stems are erect. Very desirable dahlia, M.c. .39

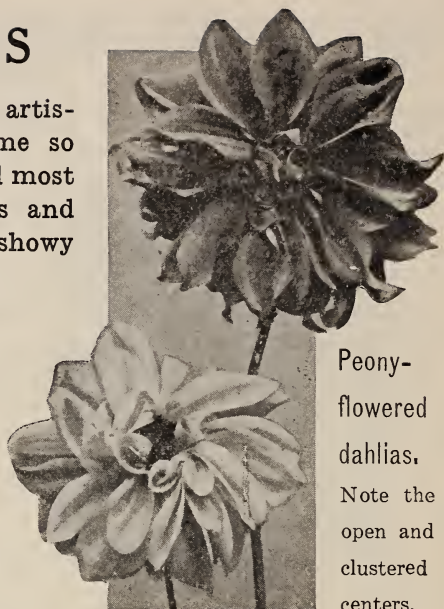
**\*DREAMLIGHT**—A lovely shade of pale old rose, illuminated with yellow at base. Full etaled, immense flower; very free, M.e.g. \$1.25

**\*ELIZABETH BOSTON**—The biggest peony of its coloring to date. Enormous blooms of deep crimson shading to old gold at the tips. Strong, free flowering habit of growth and stiff long stems, T. e. g. \$1.50

**\*EDITH CAVELL**—Enormous flower of the Decorative-Peony type, held erect on very long, stout stems. Color is an elegant reddish bronze, shaded gold, M. e. g. c. .75

**ELSA**—A large, well formed milk white, with long stems. Very free and constant bloomer. Very highly recommended, M. e. g. .50

**FANTASTIQUE**—Very distinct form; irregularly curled and twisted petals. Deep cerise † crimson, tipped and bordered with white. Very free; long, wiry stems, T. g. c. .75



Peony-  
flowered  
dahlias.  
Note the  
open and  
clustered  
centers.

**FREDA NEWMAN**—Bright orange bronze shaded gold at edges. Long stems and a constant bloomer; a favorite, T. c. .30

**\*GEISHA**—Golden yellow, changing to red and again to yellow tips. A sure bloomer and most popular, 8 to 10 in. across. Always scarce; in great demand, M. e. .75

**GLORY OF NYKERK**—Violet purple, tinted cerise. Large and distinct. Pleasing color and form; fine long stems, T. g. .35

**\*GORGEOUS**—Second to none in size and stems. Rich yellow shading to bright scarlet. Very free and constant all season. Strong erect grower and stems, T.e.g.c. \$1.50

**HAL CURTIS**—A blending of old rose and salmon. Large, of true peony type, blooming freely and erect on long stems, M. g. c. .59

**HAMPTON COURT**—Very large, bright pink; extra long, strong stem, T. e. g. c. .30

**HELIO**—A striking, rich canary yellow of largest size and best of form. Early, profuse and constant bloomer. Healthy grower with long, wiry upright stems, M. e. g. .50

**HI GILL**—Golden yellow, reverse tinted † bronze. Large; long, strong stems, T.e.c. .35

**HOLMAN HUNT**—Dark, velvety crimson of good size. Very long, strong stems, T. .35

**\*HOWITZER**—Largest 'fancy' peony dahlia yet introduced. The gorgeous yellow blooms are striped and splashed with scarlet. Free flowering habit and long stems. A most attractive new variety, T. e. g. c. \$1.00



**ISA**—Very odd shade of light fawn pink, overlaid with amber. Good habit of growth, free bloomer and long, erect stems, M. g. .30

\***IVORIE**—Clear glistening ivory white, with butter yellow at base of long curly, twisted petals. A large flower on 18 in. stem. Very artistic, distinct and orchid-like, T.e.g. \$3.50

**JAMES C. GILL**—Rich golden orange, variously marked with scarlet. Extra free bloomer; strong, erect stems, D. g. c. .50

**JESSIE M. WILLIAMS**—Soft dove color, suffused lilac-rose. Large flower with fair stems and a profuse bloomer, D. .30

**KAKADEE**—A hybrid peony of great merit. Color is a light yellow, changing to almost white at tips. An attractive flower on erect stems. One of the first to bloom and one of the last. Originated in Scotland, D. g. c. .50

**LIBERTY**—A magnificent shade of salmon scarlet. Of good size, produced freely and erectly on very long stems, T. g. .30

**LIBRA**—Peculiar rosy cerise, with broad, curled and twisted petals. Fine habit and long, erect stems. Distinct form, M. c. .50

**MAD. J. COISSARD**—Attractive blending of white and carmine; fine stems, D.c. .30

\***MEYERBEER**—Crimson, suffused purple. Of large size with very stout, long stems. One of the finest and most distinct dahlias ever produced. Always in demand, M. e. g. c. .75

**MME. T. STIENERT**—Beautiful and attractive combination of deep cerise red and cream. Large size, fine stems and a very free bloomer. Very showy, M. c. .50

**Mrs. Mc. CANDLESS** — Extra large flower of pure old gold, tinted apricot. Strong grower, free bloomer and long stems, T.e.g. \$1.00

\***MRS. JACK GREEN**—A most brilliant deep scarlet on extra long stems. Immense full flower of beautiful form. One of the finest reds in existence, T. e. g. .50

\***MRS. JESSIE SEAL**—Large full flowers of a magnificent shade of glistening salmon rose with golden suffusions, are held high above foliage on extra long, graceful stems. Very free and constant, T. g. c. \$1.00

\***MY LADY**—Unusual combination of tomato red and gold with a faint cerise suffusion. Large and free; strong stems, M.e.g. .75

**ORIOLE**—A striking combination of burnt orange, red and yellow, often tipped white. Of giant size and very free bloomer. T.g. .75

\***PEARL RUGGLES**—One of the largest and most beautiful to date. Bright carmine rose, suffused with light pink. Perfectly formed blooms carried erect well above foliage on long, strong stems, T. e. c. .50

**POLAR STAR**—The purest white, and one of the finest to date. An early, free and constant bloomer; flowers are of large size on long, upright stems, T. e. g. c. .60

\***SOLDIER BOY**—A fine large peony dahlia of khaki color with reverse of petals, a deep old rose; very distinct. The plants are loaded with blooms all season, M. g. .75

**STERNA**—Peony-flowered hybrid cactus held erect on long stems. Pale yellow in bud changing to waxy white, M. c. .30

**TELAMUND**—Hybrid-cactus petal but of peony form. Carmine red fading to pink at the tips. Extra long, stout stems, M. c. .30

**THE GIANT**—Soft velvety crimson, shaded with maroon. An immense flower on extra long, stout stems; reliable, T. e. c. .50

\***THE U. S. A.**—One of the finest dahlias in color, formation and size ever offered; a glorious hybrid-cactus peony of a new, distinct shade of deep, bronzy orange. Blooms often 9 to 10 inches across and always very freely produced, M. e. g. .75

**VAN DYCK**—Immense flower of distinct twisted form, blooming freely and constantly on stems 2 feet long. Color is a beautiful salmon rose shade, tinted lavender. Always popular with everyone, T. e. .35

**VASHON**—Lovely shade of salmon pink, suffused cream; large and very free, D. .30

**WALTA LINFORTH**—Warm carmine shaded with watermelon pink. Mass of immense blooms all season; long, wiry stems, M.g. .30

### 3 of the Finest Giant Peony Dahlias at a Special Price

#### THE BEST OF THEIR COLOR

HOWITZER.....\$1.00 GEISHA......75

CITY OF PORTLAND .75 MEYERBEER... .75

SPECIAL OFFER No.8— 1 Howitzer and any 2 of the other 3 above. The 3 tubers for only, \$1.80.

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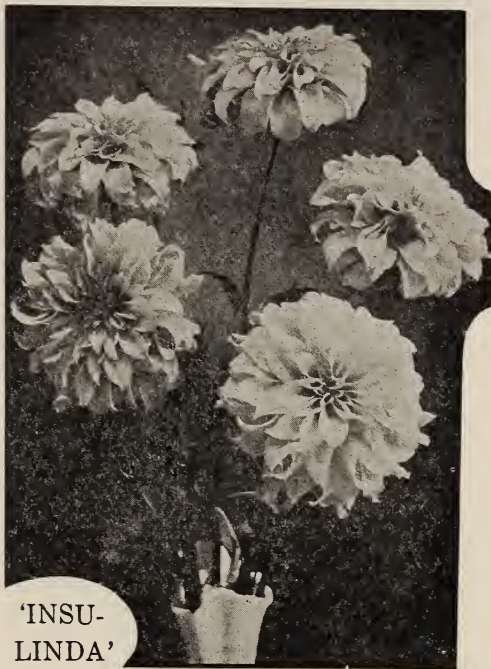
For \$1.00 we will send postpaid, from May 15th to 31st, a named collection worth from \$3 to \$4. All different. Our selection. We are giving you the benefit of surplus on some sorts.

### Mixed Dahlia Tubers

We never have, and hope we never will find it necessary to catalog or sell cheap, unnamed or mixed dahlia tubers. To us, this seems to cheapen them unjustly, and we love the 'king of autumn flowers' too much for that.

# DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

Large, double flowers with long flat petals, generally loosely formed and overlapping. Many of the finest new Dahlias are in this class as well as most of the best cut-flower varieties. Very fine for decorative purposes.



**AIDA**—Deep maroon; immense size and carried erect on long stems; grand, T. e. g. c. .30

\***ANNA MAIER**—A huge flower of a most peculiar dark pinkish-red, slightly tinted and veined yellow. Blooms well above the foliage on wiry stems; extra free, D. e. g. \$1.00

\***AMUN RA (The Sun God)**—Outer petals of this monstrous flower are of gorgeous shades of copper and orange, shaded gold and amber, deepening to a bronzy center. Extra stout erect stems, T. e. g. \$1.00

\***AL KORAN**—Yellow, suffused with amber. A giant attractive flower held erect on long, strong stems. Petals have a 'marcelle wave' appearance, T. e. g. \$1.50

**AZALEA**—Quite large, with many rows of petals. Soft creamy amber tinged with pink. Many blooms on fine stems, D. g. .50

\***BEN WILSON**—Bright buff, heavily shaded with rich red and tipped yellow. A very attractive flower of huge size with good stems. Excellent bloomer, M. e. g. \$1.00

**BERTHA STORY**—Beautiful shade of deep rose pink. Blooms are very large and it is a very free bloomer, M. e. g. .30

**BILLIE BURKE**—Extra free flowering, soft yellow of extra large size. The long, flat petals are narrow and numerous, D. g. .30

\***BLACK JACK**—A gigantic flower with long, strong stems on tall, robust plants. Deepest maroon. Best of its color, T. e. g. c. \$2.50

**BOSTON WHITE**—Pure milk white, a large full flowers with perfect centers. Strong plants and stems, M. g. c. 1.00

\***CALIFORNIA SUPERBA**—An irresistably beautiful pink which has won many prizes. Soft pink without any blue tone, shaded white in center, M. e. g. c. \$2.50

\***CAMBRIA**—Gigantic massive flowers, with broad petals of pure rich rose pink, toned with white in center. Long, rigid, cane-like stems hold blooms perfectly erect. Free bloomer; second to none, M. e. g. c. \$1.00

\***CARMENCITA**—Clear yellow, distinctly penciled with bright scarlet. Very beautifully formed flower of immense size. Fine stems and a good keeper; compact habit and very free bloomer, D. e. g. c. \$1.00

**CAROLYN WINTJEN**—Salmon pink with rose shadings. Large; fine stems; free, M. .30

**CHALLENGE**—Distinctly colored flower that † is hard to beat in freedom and perfection of bloom. Ruby crimson, suffused and shading deep yellow at base of petals, M. g. c. .30

\***CHAMPAGNE**—A simple huge massive flower held rigidly erect on cane-like stems. It has a model habit of growth and blooms profusely. Coloring is a dull golden champagne, shaded with chamoise. One of the best new creations, M. e. g. c. \$1.50

\***CITY of LAWRENCE**—One of the finest deep pure yellow dahlias. Fine large blooms of great depth. Very robust grower and free bloomer. Stout, erect stems, T. e. g. 4.00

**CHARM**—Pleasing shade of golden ochre shaded burnt umber at the tips. Large flowers produced freely on long, stout stems. Rich bronzy green foliage and dark stems enhance their beauty greatly. Distinct, M. g. c. .75

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**CHARMINSTER**—An unusual shade; delicate salmon pink, tinted terra cotta. Large and of most perfect decorative form, M. e. .30

**CHAS. SNEIDER**—A rich carmine red shade of perfect form and stem. An early, free and constant bloomer. Something distinct and attractive; a great favorite, D. g. c. .60

\***CHAS. STRATTON**—Without doubt one of the largest; a prizewinner wherever shown. Pale amber, shaded and tipped old rose. Very full petaled and free bloomer, M. e. 5.00

**CREAM KING**—A beautiful cream shade, overlaid primrose. One of the largest and finest dahlias. Stems are good, M. e. g. .60

**CRITES, THE**—A new type of dahlia. The monster blooms are right on top of the stem with center petals full and erect while outer ones droop down around the stem like a shaggy chrysanthemum. White, heavily flushed and marked with dark lilac or majenta. Very robust grower; free bloomer, T. e. g. c. 5.00

**DEFIANCE**—Rich salmon, flushed cream. Large flowers with broad petals. Strong, erect stems; quite free, M. e. c. .75

\***DICTATOR**—Distinct lavender rose, suffused fawn. Large Chrysanthemum-like flowers on long, rigid stems; very odd, M. e. c. 1.00

**DR. HARRY TEVIS**—Giant flowers, erect on long, stout stems. Odd shade of old rose, suffused with gold and shaded apricot. A prize winner everywhere, M. e. c. .75

\***EARLE WILLIAMS**—A gigantic dahlia that blooms freely and erectly on stout stems. A bright scarlet tipped pure white about half and half, every bloom being true to color. Very unique and striking and one of our biggest garden attractions, M. e. g. c. 1.25

**EDITH WOOSTER**—Lovely blending of golden yellow and sunset red that is impossible to describe and which appeals to everyone. Large blooms on long, erect stems. Fine upright, free-flowering habit, T. e. g. c. 1.00

\***ELLINOR VANDERVEER**—A new dahlia of greatest size and beauty. A glowing satiny pink of good depth and substance, held above foliage on long stiff stems, T. e. g. 5.00

**EMBASSADOR**—Large maroon red with faint violet suffusions. Fine stems, M. g. .30

\***EMMA GROOT**—A most wonderful dahlia from Holland. Color is a soft pure lilac with a deeper reverse, becoming lighter with age. Enormous flowers of top of long rigid stems. Strong, healthy grower, T. e. g. c. 2.00

**E. T. BEDFORD**—Extra large, heavy flower of globular form. Light purple color with lilac reverse. Long stems; distinct, M. e. g. c. 1.00

\***FAY LANPHIER**—An enormous flower of a soft yellow blending to creamy yellow at the outer edges. Center always full to the last. Stems long and extra stiff, T. e. g. Plants, \$5.

**FRAU G. SCHIEFF**—Orange yellow and chamoise, with coral red reverse. Long, stout stems; constant bloomer, D. g. c. .30

**FRECKLES**—Large sunflower yellow, streaked and penciled with crimson. Very early and profuse bloomer; good stems, M. .30

\***FUTURITY**—Beautiful shrimp pink. A large flower, standing erect on extra long, stout stems. Good bloomer and reliable, T. g. .75

**GEO. E. WRIGHT**—Shrimp pink, tinted cin-  
† namon; distinct and beautiful color. Long erect stems; profuse bloomer, D. g. c. .75

\***GEO. S. HARVEY**—Purplish magenta, suffused white; very attractive color. Immense flowers; often 10 inches across, M. e. 3.50

**GIANT RUBY**—A deep and velvety ruby red in color. Large flowers of fine substance and freely produced. Stems long, stiff and erect. Greatly admired by visitors, T. 1.50

**GLORIANNA**—A pure old gold, intensified by a reddish glow in the center. Of huge size and very free flowering; long stems M. e. g. .75

\***GLORIEUX**—Rich golden yellow, tinted  
† bronze and usually tipped white. An extra large, deep flower on long stems. A free bloomer and very attractive, T. e. g. 1.50

\***GOLDEN NORTH**—A medium sized, soft  
† yellow of very perfect form, M. g. c. 1.00

**HARRY DAVIDSON**—Mulberry red, suffused and tipped gold. Long stems and free bloomer; distinct and attractive, M. g. c. .30

\***HORTULANUS FEIT**—Bright glistening salmon-rose, shaded with gold. Held erect on good stems. Immense flower D. e. g. c. .75

**HUMORESQUE**—Bright yellow, penciled maroon and sometimes tipped white. Distinct color; long, erect stems, T. .30

\***INSULINDA**—We really believe this dahlia is one of the most wonderful yet introduced. Extra large with broad, wavy petals and long, strong stems. Brilliant golden orange color. In every up-to-date collection, M. e. g. c. 1.00

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\***JERSEY'S BEAUTY**—Probably the best all round dahlia yet introduced. Wonderful cut flower and color; a rich true pink. Very vigorous, early and free flowering. Everywhere a prizewinner. Extra fine, T. e. g. c. 2.00  
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\***JUDGE LANGFORD**—Large graceful flower † of attractive formation and held perfectly erect on strong stems. Dark pansy purple, faintly lined silver; fine habit, M. e. g. \$3.50

\***KING ALBERT**—Giant, pure violet-purple flower, carried erect on long, rigid stems far above foliage. Most flowers are full in the center. One of the finest, T. e. g. c. .75

**KITTY DUNLAP**—A large, perfectly formed flower held rigidly erect on top of stout stem. A showy American Beauty rose color. Very free and constant bloomer, T. e. g. c. \$1.00

**LA AMERICAINE**—Bright clear cerise color. Fine in every respect, M. g. c. .50

\***LADY BETTY**—This beautiful new dahlia is an extra large finely formed flower, produced freely all season on long, stiff stems. A lovely, creamy white artistically suffused with pink, reminding one of a bush of pale pink Peonies. One of the best. M. e. g. c. \$1.00

\***LA MASCOTTE**—Immense flowers of very distinct color; silvery white with light violet reverse. Myriads of blooms held erect on excellent stems, M. e. g. \$1.00

**LATONA**—Pretty pale yellow, tinged buff and lavender; freely produced on the stoutest of stems. Large size and artistic form, M. c. .30

**LE GRAND MANITOU**—Immense flower of perfect form; white, striped and spotted purple. Best of its color, D. e. g. .30

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**LEO XIII**—Large flower of bright, rich yellow. Early and constant bloomer. Grand form; often of full peony form, D. g. .50

\***LOGAN'S WHITE**—The blooms are large, snow white and perfect. Stems are long and rigid; blooms freely all season, M. g. c. 1.25

**MADONNA**—Silvery white, tinged lavender; long, wavy petals. Free and erect, M. g. .50

**MAMAN ROZAIN**—Pearly white, tipped and suffused rosy purple. Good sized flowers on very erect stems; attractive, M. g. .30

**MARCELLA GILL**—A very delightful clear soft pink variety that is bound to become a † great favorite with everyone, especially florists. A wonderfully free bloomer on long individual stems, that hold the blooms rigidly erect. Very perfectly formed and is unequalled in keeping when cut, D. g. c. .50

**MARIE KAPPAN**—Medium sized flower of orchid pink color with lighter center. Very floriferous with perfect stem, M. g. c. .30

\***MARMION**—One of the very largest of the new giant dahlias of today. Pure amber yellow, † low, tinted bronze on the reverse of petals. Deeper bronze center. Massive blooms of perfect form all season on long strong stems. Strong, robust grower. A sure prize winner for size; a Portland Creation, T. e. g. \$10.00

**MARY C. BURNS**—Bright old gold, reverse of petals tinged bronze. Large perfect flowers on best of stems; free, M. e. g. .50

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- SHOWER OF GOLD**—Deep yellow, tinted apricot at center. Of good size with slightly fluted petals; erect flowers on wiry stems. Always a mass of bloom, M. g. c. **.30**
- \*SHUDOW'S LAVENDER**—Huge blooms of a beautiful silvery lavender, slightly shaded white. Long, stiff stems hold flowers erect. Free and constant, T. e. c. **\$1.50**
- SITKA**—Of good size with curled and reflexed petals; produced very freely on good stems. A clear lavender pink in color, M. c. **.35**

**\*SOMERSET**—Giant flowers of a very pleasing old rose and salmon touched lavender. Healthy, vigorous grower; very erect stems and flowers. Has won many first prizes. A lasting cut flower; free bloomer, M.e.g.c. **3.00**

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**TENOR ALVAREZ**—Lilac-rose, variegated with crimson purple. Of large size and very free of bloom; quite distinct, M. **.30**

**TERRA COTTA**—Soft and pleasing shade of terra cotta. Full, high centered flower with wavy petals; fine stems; very free, T.c. **.30**

**\*THE GRIZZLY**—Deep, rich crimson-maroon of immense size and a prolific bloomer. Of very attractive formation and creates a sensation wherever grown, T. e. g. **.75**

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**VICTORINE**—Distinct and beautiful in color. Soft rosy lavender and cream. Perfect form; long, erect stems. From England, M.g.c. **.50**

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**\*WIZARD OF OZ**—One of the largest dahlias; over 10 inches across. Color is salmon pink with amber suffusions. Elegant form and free bloomer; a prizewinner, M. e. **\$2.50**

**WM. SLOCOMBE**—Immense flowers of a rarely beautiful light canary yellow shade that you just have to stop and admire. Refined form and good stems, M. e. g. **.75**

**\*WONDERLAND**—A truly wonderful new dahlia of immense size and absolutely distinct coloring. Bright carmine, suffused violet and with the reverse silver. Long wavy petals, some showing silver reverse at tips. Strong stout stems, T. e. g. **4.00**

**Our Annie**—Very pleasing shrimp pink, shaded with amber. A flower of fine substance on long stems. Early and very free. **.35**

**Norah Bell**—Orange red, with yellow base and tinted with blue flame. Exceedingly early and free; fine erect habit of growth. **.35**

**RHODA**—A most perfectly and artistically formed little Decorative. A beautiful glowing orange rose or shrimp pink shade. Extra free flowering; long, wiry stems, D. **.35**

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**CLARA SEATON**—Color is a pure, rich golden orange buff, beautifully quilled. One of the finest and largest, M. e. g. **.50**

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**GRAND DUCHESS MARIE**—Pleasing buff overlaid with orange; reverse of petals tinted pink. Extra long stems, T. g. c. **.30**

**MAUDE ADAMS**—Snowy white, overlaid with delicate pink. One of the finest and most beautiful varieties, M. g. c. **.50**

**W. W. RAWSON**—Beautiful flower of large size. White, tinted with lavender, M. **.30**



# COLLARETTE DAHLIAS

These are the freest bloomers, having long stems and make fine, lasting cut-flowers. Flowers are single, with a second row of short petals, or collar, usually of a contrasting color. The individual blooms are almost perfection in form and a dozen or more make a most artistic and showy bouquet.



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**CIRCIE**—White, heavily suffused cerise with white collar; perfectly shaped flower. Very free flowering, erect habit and wiry stems. One of the most attractive, M. .50

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**CORMORANT**—Rich glowing crimson, with a collar of primrose, streaked with carmine. Large and showy; one of the best, M. .50

**CRESSET**—Deep wine red, edged scarlet; a creamy white collar, edged crimson, M. .25

**\*DOON**—Intense orange red, edged gold with a bright yellow collar. One of the best in habit of growth and stems, M. .50

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**Belle of Springfield**—Bright red; the smallest variety to date. Greatly admired, D. .35  
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**Rosa**—Of ideal size and build. The color is a pretty shade of bluish lilac, D. .25  
**Rosebud**—White ground, deeply edged cerise pink. Robust grower and free bloomer and a great favorite with all visitors. .25  
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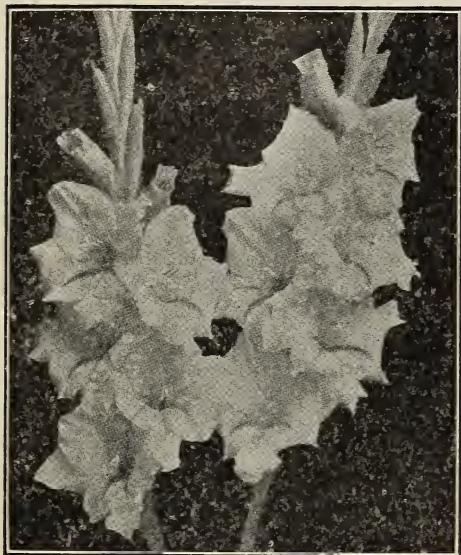
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The most beautiful and attractive of all summer flowering bulbs are the newer Gladioli. Such a rapid improvement has been made during the past few years in the size, color and beauty of these flowers, that the result is wonderful.



THE MODERN GLADIOLI

5c. each; 50c., dozen; \$3.50 per 100

Those marked with a \* are 40c a dozen.

\***AMERICA**—Beautiful soft flesh pink, tinted with delicate lavender. Large, open flowers.

\***Attraction**—Bright carmine; white throat.

**BLACK HAWK**—Deep, rich cardinal with throat nearly black. Early.

**Halley**—Large open flower of a beautiful salmon pink. Without doubt one of the best.

**Ida Van**—Very pleasing shade of orange red.

**Independence**—Light flame pink with dark red throat. Tall and vigorous growth.

**Mrs. Fran. King** — One of the most attractive and popular Gladioli. Striking shade of light scarlet or flame color. Very large.

**Princeline**—Bright red, with a conspicuous pure white throat; exceedingly attractive.

\***Velvet King**—A most reliable rich red sort; large and early. Ideal for large beds.

\***Wine King**—A clear purple-wine color.

If cut when the first buds open and allowed to develop indoors, every bud will open and the size and color will be more perfect than if left in the sun. The spikes will continue to open additional buds for a week or two weeks, according to the variety and conditions.

**CULTURE**— You can plant a Gladiolus bulb in most any kind of soil and it will bloom, but attention to a few simple details will produce superior results. Sound healthy bulbs and a sunny situation is the most important. Successive plantings in the same place should be avoided when possible. Plant 3 to 5 inches apart and to a depth of 4 to 6 inches, depending on size of bulb and character of soil. May be planted as early as the end of March or as late as the middle of June. By planting at intervals during this time you will have flowers all season. Cultivate often until flower spikes appear, then if possible, cover the ground with a mulch and water thoroughly when in bloom. Dig in November (or sooner if foliage begins to ripen) on a sunny day if possible, so as to allow them to dry off well before storing in a cool, dry, frost-proof place. Cut off the tops close up to the bulb, as soon as dug.

6 of a variety at the dozen rate.

Less than 6 of a kind will be charged for at the single price rate.

7c. Each; dozen, 70c. Any 3 for 20c.

**Glory of Holland**—Tall white, tinted pink.

**Golden King**—Bright yellow with a striking crimson blotch in the throat. Large spike.

**Intensity**—Clear scarlet with a beautifully spotted, lighter throat. Large open flowers.

**Panama**—Pure pink of mammoth size. A new variety, which has received highest awards and can be recommended very highly.

**Pasha**—Brilliant orange with mottled throat. Large, open flowers. Distinct and very showy.

**Rouge Torch**—White with a scarlet blotch in the throat. Exceedingly attractive.

**Scarlet Velvet**—Just as the name implies. A favorite with those who like the red shades.

**Scarsdale**—A dark rosy lavender. Large open flowers and a tall spike.

**Schwaben**—Light yellow with small maroon blotch in the throat. Without doubt one of the largest and finest Gladioli yet grown.

10c. Each; dozen, \$1.00 Any 3 for 25c.

**Baron Hulot**—Deep, rich indigo blue. One of the best for bouquets; admired by all.

**Butterfly**—Tango orange, marked like a butterfly in throat with crimson, bordered with yellow. Very distinct and attractive.

**Le Marchal Foch**—Beautiful pale rose pink. One of the largest; many open at once.

**Mrs. Frank Pendleton**—Clear salmon pink with red blotch on lower petal. Very large.

**Mrs. Watt**—A new and very attractive color being a shade of red like American Beauty rose. Distinct and rarely beautiful.

**Peace**—Pure white with lilac mark in throat. Extra strong spikes with very large flowers.

**Prince of Wales**—Most beautiful, delicate salmon pink shade imaginable. Immense spike and large flowers. A variety that has undoubtedly become very popular.

**Pride of Hillegom**—One of the finest blood red varieties. Tall spike; wonderful color.

**WAR**—Deep blood red self color. Strong, healthy grower and immense flowers. The only fault with this wonder is its name.

**Wilbrink**—Flesh pink with creamy blotch on lower petal; large and extra early.

**Willy Wigman**—Large creamy white flower with bright red blotch in the throat.

15c. Each; dozen, \$1.30; Any 3 for 35c.

**Anna Eberius**—Beautiful purple tint with a deeper throat and lighter edges. A popular new shade and fine, long well-set spikes.

**Byron L. Smith**—Very beautiful orchid-like lavender pink. Large, wide open and well placed blooms. In demand for cutting.

**Evelyn Kirtland**—Beautiful, bright rose pink with lighter throat and scarlet blotches on lower petals. One of the largest and best.

**ELF**—A beautiful new snow white with lemon yellow buds and lips. Greatly admired.

**Jack London**—Light salmon, brilliant orange flame stripes; golden yellow throat, penciled ruby. Large flowers and tall spikes. One of the very finest new Gladioli.

**Mr. Mark**—New Holland variety of a clear blue with darker throat; long spike.

**Mrs. Dr. Norton**—A beautiful novelty with large open flowers; pure white, suffused pink at the edges and a deep cream throat.

**Roem van Kennemerland**—Immense, wide open flowers of rich rose pink, with a cream throat. Grand new sort of greatest merit.

**Rose Ash**—A beautiful and distinct pastel shade. Rare combination of light rose, old rose, bluish gray and yellow, difficult to describe. Tall, stately spikes. Extra fine.

## 12 New & Rare Gladioli

**Bengal Tiger**—Handsome, large, wide open flowers of a rich rosy red with dark barbaric striping on the edges. A very distinct and striking novelty originating in Portland. 15c

**Cowee's Scarlet Wonder**—Extra large, new variety of a most brilliant red shade. 30c

**Flora**—Clear golden yellow. Large, well placed flower. An unsurpassed yellow sort. 10c

**Giant Nymph**—An exceptionally large and beautiful variety. Light rose pink with a pale yellow throat. Tall and vigorous. 30

**Golden Measure**—The finest, large flowering rich yellow to date. Extra strong grower. 20c

**Mrs. H. E. Bothin**—A most beautiful salmon pink, with scarlet throat. Extra large and greatly admired by everyone. 20c

**Mrs. Leon Douglas**—Giant, graceful flowers 5 to 6 in. across on extra tall, stately spikes. Most pleasing, rich salmon pink, penciled a brilliant flame; lemon throat. A real beauty and a prizewinner everywhere. 30c

**Pink Perfection**—Apple blossom pink; large, open flowers. One of the most beautiful and attractive of the pink varieties. 20

**Red Emperor**—Magnificent rich deep scarlet crimson; immense, wide open flowers. 20

**TARO**—An extra fine, large flower and spike. A distinct and pleasing deep cerise color. 25c

**Thomas T. Kent**—Light rose-pink with ruby running through center of each petal; very vigorous and one of the largest. Each, 20c

**White Giant**—One of the best whites. Very strong grower and immense flowers. Ea, 25c

## Primulinus Hybrids

**Alice Tiplady**—(Primulinus) Large and popular. A beautiful orange saffron shade. 15

**Myra**—Large deep salmon overlaying a yellow ground. Throat lined pink. Tall spike. 15

**Roanoke** (Primulinus)—Probably the best of the pure rich yellows of this type. 10

**Primulinus Hybrids Mixed**—We here offer an extra choice strain of this beautiful new race of Gladioli; dainty, graceful flowers in varied and novel colors. Each, 5c; Doz, 50c

If you plant a few Glads around your home in April, you'll be Glad next July.

"Glads", when cut, will last in water from 1 to 2 weeks. Think of it! Weeks, not days.

**SUPERIOR MIXTURE** — Contains a great assortment of colors, having many named sorts in it. Try a few. You will find them unequaled at the price. Doz. 35c; 100, \$2.50  
Second Size Bulbs, Doz., 25c; 100, \$1.75



## 15 RUFFLED GLADIOLI

The new Ruffled Gladioli, like the ruffled sweet peas, have a refined appearance that the plain petaled varieties do not possess, equaled only by the finest Orchids. Each petal is exquisitely ruffled or fluted. Very strong, healthy growers.

**AVALON**—An extra fine white, flushed with pale pink. Very beautiful throat; one of the best ruffled sorts.....25c

**Glory**—Edges of the petals are frilled and ruffled. Delicate cream pink with attractive crimson stripe in the throat. Very large. 10c

**E. J. Shaylor**—A beautiful and distinct pure, deep rose pink. Tall, strong grower and large blooms. Very fine new variety. 15c.

**Frank J. Symmes**—Salmon rose with a red throat. A very beautiful large flower. 25c

**JOE COLEMAN**—Rich, glowing red of large size; vigorous grower.....25c

**KASSON**—Tall spike with good sized flowers of lavender rose-pink, with deeper throat. Intensely ruffled..... 15c

**MONA LISA**—A magnificent almost pure self color. Many flowers open at a time of palest soft pink, faintly flushed with pale lavender ..... 25c

## Special 'Glad' Offers for 1926

**No. 1**—Ten different varieties of first sized bulbs; all named. Postpaid for only, **.55**  
Or, the same 10 kinds, not labeled for only, **.45**

**No. 2**—25 first size bulbs. 5 each of America, Wine King, Intensity, Rouge Torch and Velvet King (Value \$1.10) for ..... 75c  
10 of each (50 bulbs in all) for only **\$1.40**

**No. 3**—25 first size bulbs. 5 each of ELF, Pasha, Butterfly, **ROSE ASH** and, Schwaben (Value \$2.10) for ..... **\$1.50**  
10 of each for only .....**\$2.90**

## Wired Tree Labels

### KEEP YOUR DAHLIAS NAMED

These are plain, painted wooden labels with copper wires and are just the thing for labeling your Dahlia clumps, when digging and storing. 40 for 20c; 90 for 40c Postpaid to 4th zone.

**DAHLIA KNIVES**—Just the thing for dividing up your Dahlia clumps. Large varnished handles, easy to grip, with stationary blades. The same as we use. **45c** postpaid.

**DON'T HESITATE** to order Dahlia tubers on account of distance. They travel safely anywhere by parcel post and arrive in good condition.

**ORANGE GLORY**—Very rich and striking shade of pure orange with lighter throat. One of the largest and best Gladioli **02c**

**Pride of Gosen** — A giant salmon and flesh pink. Elegantly waved. Strong grower. **.20**

**PURPLE GLORY**—The largest ruffled sort. Extra tall vigorous spike. Color is a deep rich purple shaded with maroon. Each, **25c**

**SCARLANO**—Very fine intense orange red color. Fine, tall spike and large flower. Grand ..... **20c**

**VIOLET BEAUTY**—Well formed, large, open flowers on tall, graceful spikes. Cerise-violet; reddish throat ..... **20c**

**WHITE KING (Patrician)**—Rich sulphur white, nicely marked on lower petals. Vigorous grower and well ruffled.....10c

**White Glory**—Pure white with iris blue lines in throat. New and distinct; very fine. **.25**

**YOUELL'S FAVORITE** — Light pink shaded rosy lavender. Extra strong grower and immense flowers. .... **20c**

### SPECIAL OFFER OF RUFFLED GLADS

Will send one first size bulb each of **GLORY, SCARLANO, VIOLET BEAUTY, WHITE GLORY** and **YOUELL'S FAVORITE** for only, **70cents.**

### NOVELTY 3 DAHLIA OFFER

Three of the finest Giant Dahlias in cultivation.  
**CITY OF LAWRENCE**—Immense lemon yellow. **\$4.00**  
**JERSEY BEACON**—A giant of pure scarlet. **5.00**  
**OUR COUNTRY**—Huge purple, tipped white. **3.50**  
Total Catalog value is **12.50**

1 strong **TUBER** of each for only, **\$8.50**  
1 strong **PLANT** of each postage paid for only **\$6.00**

### 3 GORGEOUS GIANTS OF MERIT

The best of their respective colors. Each very distinct.  
**JERSEY BEAUTY**—The finest rich, pure pink. **\$2.00**  
**INSULINDA**—The unsurpassed golden orange. **1.00**  
**WIZARD OF OZ**—Monstrous salmon pink. **2.50**  
1 Strong **TUBER** of each for only **\$4.00**  
1 Strong **PLANT** of each for only **\$2.75**

### OREGON FIGS

Several varieties of Figs have been found adaptable to the climate and soil of the Pacific Northwest, through experiments conducted over a period of years, by the

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Limited quantities of nursery stock now available.

You are cordially invited to visit their Test Gardens and see for yourself the wonderful possibilities of this industry.



# GERANIUMS

Geraniums are no doubt the most popular of bedding plants. They are of the easiest culture, making a rapid growth and blooming continuously.

Ready for shipping Mar. 20th to June 20th.

## SINGLES

**ELIZABETH WHITE**—This was originated by us in 1918, and has been admired by everyone. The color is an outstanding feature and difficult to describe. A very bright rose vermillion shade of red, with a conspicuous pure white center. Extra large flowers of circular form, borne well above foliage on strong stalks. Strong, healthy grower. *Supply limited.* Each 30c.

15c each Any Four for 50c. Postpaid

**ALBION**—Finest pure white. Always in bloom.

**EUGENE SUE**—Dazzling single scarlet. Extra large, numerous, lasting flowers. Compact sturdy grower with gigantic trusses on long stems.

**JACQUERIE**—One of the best bright rich reds.

**LUCILE HILL**—Grand new variety of beautiful clear salmon rose. Sure to become a leader.

**MAD. CHAPOTAN**—Delicate light pink flowers in very large trusses; foliage handsomely zoned.

**Mrs. A. BLANC**—Bright, rich salmon, shaded with peach. Handsomely zoned foliage. Very fine.

**METEOR**—Brilliant scarlet crimson. A grand bedding variety. Highly recommended.

**MRS. E. G. HILL**—Very large clear salmon.

**Pamela**—Crimson with white center; very attractive. Very satisfactory in every way.

**ROSAMINE**—Light magenta shaded with cerise, maculated white in the center. Very bright and distinct shade; large flowers freely produced.

## DOUBLE and Semi-Doubles

**ALPHONSE RICARD**—Immense trusses of large round flowers of the most vivid light scarlet; fine.

**BEAUTE POITEVINE**—Very large, semi-double flowers of brilliant salmon color. Extra good.

**EUGENE CARRIERE**—Very rich, coppery salmon color, shaded lighter and veined orange.

**Golden Dawn**—Bright vermillion orange. Very distinct and showy color. Might be called a double Maxime Kavoleski. Dwarf grower.

**HENRIOT**—Bright rose color, shaded flame. One of the best geraniums to date. Strong grower.

**Jean Oberle**—A color known as peach pink, shading to almost white at edges. Very free.

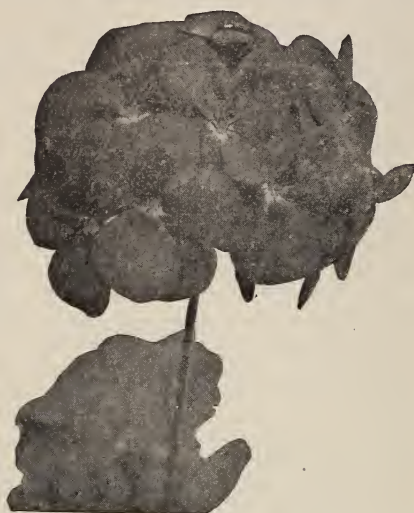
**MILDRED RIVAL**—Pure rose pink with conspicuous white blotch at base of upper petals. Extra large flowers and trusses. Highly recommended.

**MME. RECAMIER**—Snow white; strong, vigorous grower; flowers abundantly produced.

**MRS. LAWRENCE**—Beautiful satiny pink shaded to white; a real gem among geraniums.

**ORNELLA**—An extra fine, free blooming soft red. Similar to S. A. Nutt, but a much lighter shade.

**S. A. NUTT**—Best rich dark crimson variety,



## 10 New and Rare Geraniums

20c each. Any 3 for 50c

**Double Dryden**—Center whitish, shading to lilac and edged with crimson. Distinct.

**HALL CAINE**—Very large round florets in numerous umbels. Light orange scarlet. Single.

**LOUIS REAU**—Currant red bordered darker and prominent white center. Extra fine and attractive.

**Mad. Landry**—Bright apricot salmon shaded with copper. Very free of bloom all season. One of the very finest grown. Semi-dbl.

**Maryland**—One of the largest and brightest of red geraniums ever grown. A favorite with all when 'something bright' is wanted; semi-dbl.

**MAXINE KAVOLENSKI**—Odd shade of orange red; splendid bedder and very popular; single.

**Mrs. Richard Gloede**—Clear American beauty pink of immense size. Extra fine double.

**Pink Hall Caine**—A salmon pink sport of that wonderful orange red geranium; scarce.

**Suzanne Leepre**—Beautiful aurora salmon. A robust compact grower; constant bloomer.

**Thomas Meehan**—Bright vinous rose color; upper petals marked orange. A rare double.

**Special Offer:** 5 Varieties, Single or Double  
Our selection for only, .50

# CANNAS

Unequaled for their rich tropical effects in the garden on account of their beautiful foliage and large clusters of bright colored flowers. Plant during May or June in a rich soil and sunny location. They are quick growers and gross feeders, enjoying water, and fertilizer in proportion.

**20c each. Any 3 for 55c.,** except where priced.

**Hungaria**—Pure, rich, rose pink color; an extra fine variety in every way. The best and purest pink. 3ft.

**King Humbert**—*Bronze foliage*—Immense trusses of bright orange red; one of the very best, 4½ft.

**Yellow King Humbert**—Immense trusses of gigantic yellow flowers, spotted with red. Without a doubt one of the showiest of all. Green foliage. 5ft. .25

**METEOR**—Probably the finest of all the deep blood red bedding Cannas. Massive erect trusses, 4½ft.

**Eureka**—Best white flowering variety; flowers are large; strong, healthy grower, 4ft.

**Eglantine**—Unique shade of carmine-salmon bordered golden yellow; quite rare, 3½ft.

**Orange Bedder**—Bright and showy orange; a very free bloomer; of greatest merit, 4ft.

**PANAMA**—Orange red widely edged golden yellow, Extra large flowers and clusters. very early and free. Very satisfactory.

**POPPY**—*Bronze*—Intense poppy-red. Large florets and trusses. Very effective. 4ft.

**Satin Rose**—A lovely soft pink shade. An unusual color for a canna. New.

**Surpasse Reverchon**—*Bronze Foliage*—Odd cochineal-red color; large and striking. 4ft.



THE PRESIDENT

**AMBASSADOR**—*Bronze*—Vigorous, healthy grower with giant brilliant cherry-red flowers. Called the 'bronze leaved President'. 4½ft.

**NOKOMIS**—(*Bronze Foliage*)—Brilliant crimson carmine flower trusses; distinct, 4 ft. .25

**THE PRESIDENT**—Probably the finest red canna. Unsurpassed in size, vigor and showy color. Rich orange red; immense trusses. 5ft.

**WYOMING**—*Bronze foliage*—Extra large pure orange flowers, making a fine contrast with the rich foliage. Tall and stately, 6ft. .25

**Please Note** — All our Prices on Cannas are for strong Plants, ready May 15th. The dormant bulbs are seldom satisfactory for planting in this climate (west of Cascades).

**Six Named Varieties** (our choice) for only. **\$0.90**

## Pelargoniums

### Lady Washington Geraniums

**20c each. Much larger plants, 40c.**

Ready for delivery from Feb. 15th to May 15th.

We offer five choice varieties of the new everblooming type of these old favorites. They commence flowering early in the spring and continue all summer long.

**Easter Greeting**—Amaranthe red with maroon blotches. Earliest and freest bloomer.

**Gardner's Joy**—Apple blossom pink blotched with brown. Best light colored variety.

**Lucky Becker**—Wonderful orchid pink with a dark blotch. Very free bloomer. Extra fine.

**Schwaben Maid**—Large brilliant salmon, set off by black blotches at the base of petals.

**Warttembergia**—Large dark red with black blotches. Strong grower and free bloomer.

One each of the 5 varieties above for 90 cents.

**Mrs. Loyal**—(Pansy Geranium) Silvery rose with dark maroon blotches on upper petals.

## Ivy Leaved Geraniums

Very fine for hanging baskets or window boxes.

Price **15c.** each; any 3 for **40c.**

**Ballade**—Large semi-double flowers of rosy lilac.

**Chas. Turner**—Bright rich pink; extra fine sort.

**Col. Baden Powell**—Very large pearly white shaded blush, with dark blotch on upper petals.

**Garden Glory**—Bright scarlet, tinted with rose.

**INCOMPARABLE**—Exquisite shade of rose carmine. Very large trusses; bold compact grower.

**GERANIUM Rose Scented**—An old favorite. Cultivated for its sweet scented leaves. **10c.**

**GERANIUM, Lemon Scented**—Grown for its scented leaves. Very desirable. Each. **10c.**

**UMBRELLA PLANT** (*Cyperus, Alternifolia*)—Splendid house plant of very easy culture; resembles a palm; requires no special care but keeping well watered. **20c**



# GARDEN CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Ready for mailing from April 15th. to June 15th. Price, 15c each; 2 for 25c.

## LARGE FLOWERING SORTS

- Bronze Queen**—Bright golden bronze of reflexed form. Early and free flowering.
- C. C. Pollworth**—An incurved bright golden yellow. Free bloomer and fine garden sort.
- Chieftain**—A large, incurved flower of soft silvery pink. Very free in bloom. Fine.
- Golden Glory**—A rich, clear yellow, full in the center; deep, incurved form. Early.
- Harvard**—The darkest chrysanthemum extant; when well grown it produces a good sized bloom of the darkest crimson.
- October Rose**—A large, perfect, incurved flower of rose pink with silvery suffusions.
- Smith's Ideal**—Pure snowy white blooms of lovely incurved form. Very free bloomer.
- Sunbeam**—A giant, with luxuriant green foliage clothing its heavy stems, each crowned with a grand bright deep yellow, flower.
- Snow White**—Elegant incurved blooms of pure white; fine size and build.
- TOKIO**—A grand new reflexed variety of a beautiful silvery rose color. Very lovely.
- W. H. Waite**—Deep bronze shaded with gold. Finest incurved form and splendid size.

## Fine Fuchsias

These graceful, flowering plants are fine for the house as well as the garden. Easily raised and are at their best in partial shade. Last 4 are especially fine for porch boxes, hanging baskets, etc.

15c each; 2 for 25c.

- Annie Earle**—Tube and sepals waxy white; corolla single, clear carmine; very free blooming.
- Christmas Gem**—Strong grower and free bloomer, with bronzy green foliage, flushed with plum color. Bright vermilion red flowers.
- Gen. ROBERTS**—This is a grand immense double flowered Fuchsia; very large, rich purple violet corolla; tube and sepals are bright crimson.
- Mme. EVA BOEG**—Large pendent flowers borne in great freedom. Corolla clear rosy violet with sepals of bright carmine. An ideal pot plant.
- STORM KING**—Superb double white variety, well known to all plant lovers.
- SPECIOSA**—A winter blooming variety producing very long narrow flowers, tube and sepals bluish pink, corolla of bright carmine. Great bloomer.
- TRAILING QUEEN**—Tube and sepals rosy-scarlet, corolla violet purple. Of trailing habit of growth, fine for baskets and window boxes.
- DROOPING BEAUTY**—Not exactly a trailer, but of very graceful drooping habit of growth. The sepals are creamy white and the single corolla is a pure deep carmine. A very showy variety.
- BABY FUCHSIA**—Of very graceful growth with myriads of small single violet flowers with rosy scarlet sepals. Ideal for hanging baskets.

## POM PON MUMS

- Angelo**—One of the best light pinks; very free.
- Muskoko**—An even shade of bronze. Large.
- Harvest Moon**—Sprays of rich yellow flowers.
- Hilda Canning**—Very attractive bronze and yellow of the button type. Good keeper.
- Lillian Doty**—Beautiful shell pink flowers of perfect form. Strong, upright growth.
- Mariana**—Large type. Vigorous growing white.
- Mrs. Frank Beu**—Bronzy orange and gold. One of the best and most popular pompons.
- Red Beu**—Orange red sport of Mrs. Beu. Fine.
- Uvalda**—Pale pink in bud, changing to a pure white. One of the earliest and best.

## ANEMONE MUMS

- Chestnut**—Rich tan shade with lighter center.
- COED**—Pale pink with a soft yellow cushion.
- Graf von Oriola**—Large, deep rose pink, tinted rose. Center petals tipped gold.
- Izola**—Even shade of amaranthe. Extra fine.
- Sunshine**—Intense yellow of unusual brightness, Fine large new variety

## SINGLES (Extra fine for bouquets)

- Mrs. Wm. Buckingham**—Large, flat flower of a lovely shade of rosy pink. Keeps well.
- Mrs. Godfrey**—Strong growing light pink
- Miss Isabelle**—(Buff Godfrey) A bronzy buff.
- 5 plants, different types, different colors (our choice), 60c

## Superb Carnations

These large greenhouse Carnations thrive outside in any good garden soil. Plant in April or early May a foot apart. Pinch back one or more times to make a bushier plant. Give a manure mulch when buds show. Stake up.

15c each. Any 3 for only 35c

- Red Matchless**—Large and massive flowers with fine fringed petals. Color bright rich scarlet.
- DONALD**—A wonderful new everblooming carnation of rich, velvety crimson maroon.
- ELDORA**—A beauty; fancy variety of fine size and form, borne on long, stout stems. Color white flaked and splashed with red.
- Enchantress Supreme**—A superb shade of flesh pink. An early and continuous bloomer.
- MRS. C. W. WARD**—Simply superb, both in form and color; brilliant dark pink.
- HARVESTER**—A new pure white on strongest of stems. Nicely fluted and very fragrant.

Each, 20c; Any 2 for 35c.

- SPECTRUM**—New—Very beautiful bright shade of salmon scarlet, nicely fringed. Long stems.
- BETTY LOU**—(NEW) Flowers are large, borne on long stems. The color is a superb shade of rose pink. An early and continuous bloomer.
- SUPRISE**—Very large fringed flowers of fine form. Strong growing with healthy foliage. Color is a soft, medium rose-pink with silvery shadings.
- Maine Sunshine**—A new and rare variety of pure light yellow color, Large size; good substance.



## Flowering Begonias

Strong plants 15c each. 3 for 35c.

Ready for delivery after April 15th.

**ARGENTEA GUTTATA.**—Handsome erect growing sort, with pointed wine-colored leaves with silvery white spots; clusters of pure white flowers.

**Glory de Chatelaine.**—Covered the entire season with bright coral red flowers. Handsome, dark green foliage. Grows easily and rapidly.

**COMPTA.**—Pointed purplish green leaves with silvery shadings. Pure white flowers.

**FOLIOSA.**—The freest-flowering Begonia we have. Makes a handsome window plant, with its glossy green leaves and bright pink flowers.

**MARGUERITE.**—Foliage is dark bronze green on upper surface and reddish purple on under side; good sized panicles of large white flowers, nicely decorated with downy red hairs.

**PRES. CARNOT.**—Strong growing sort with large deep green leaves, spotted white; flowers are a beautiful coral red in large pendent panicles.

**THURSTONI.**—Under side of leaves are purplish red with prominent veins, while the upper sides are dark bronzy green. Large panicles of rosy white flowers. One of the finest varieties.

**REX BEGONIA.**—Grown for the beauty of their foliage. Leaves are large, variegated and margined. Very popular house plant. Each, 20c; 3 different, 50c. Large size, 50c

### TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

As a bedding plant out doors, or for pot culture in the house, these Begonias rarely fail to give satisfaction if given a partially shady situation. Mixed colors. Large bulbs each, 25c

**BEGONIA, LLOYDII (Basket Begonia)**

Beautiful and graceful as a pot plant, but more adapted to growing in hanging baskets, owing to its drooping habit of growth. Flowers are pendulous, double and various shades of rose and carmine. Tuberous rooted. Started bulbs Each, 15c

## Lantanas

A fine summer blooming bedding plant.

Are also fine for porch and window boxes, tubs, etc.

15c each. Any 3 for only 35c

**AMEIL.**—Dwarf grower, fine for bedding. Covered all season with umbles of little florets red on the outer edge and orange yellow in center.

**Countess of Blencourt.**—A delicate rose pink, shaded to primrose yellow at center of umble.

**Corbelle D Argent.**—Lovely pure white flowers. Dwarf compact grower and great bloomer.

**Delicatissima.**—Of trailing habit, making it very desirable for baskets and boxes. Dark lavender.

**DRACENA, Indivisa.**—This is the hardy variety used so extensively for the centers of vases, baskets, tubs, boxes, etc. Long, graceful, grass-like foliage of deep green. Will stand full sun or shade. Each, 25c, 35c and 50c postpaid.

**RUBBER PLANT.**—Very popular and easily grown. Not affected by dust or gas. 15 to 18 in high. \$1.50 p. p.

**Kentia PALM.**—Very popular house plant. 1½ ft. high \$1.

## NEW GIANT PETUNIAS

### "Dieners' Ruffled Monsters"

The finest and largest single frilled Petunias ever created. Unequaled for porch boxes, baskets, etc., as well as bedding plants, as they are continually in flower. Each 10c; 3 for 25c.

Large size (in bloom) ready first of May, Each, 15c; four different colors for 50c.

### Swiss Floral Co's Famous Frilled Giants

Same Prices as for the Ruffled Monsters

**Elk's Pride.**—Large rich velvety purple.

**Ruffled Heliotrope.**—Pure color, veined darker.

**Pride of Portland.**—Beautifully frilled flowers of deep rose pink with yellowish throat.

**Scarlet Beauty.**—Heavily fringed rich rose red.

**White Beauty.**—Same in form as above.

## New Named Snapdragons

One of the very best bedding plants and are very popular at the present time, flowering continuously all summer long.

Orders filled with Strong Pot Grown Plants.

Following 6 ready April 10th. Each, 10c; 3 for 25c.

**Chestnut.**—Beautiful soft bronze shade.

**Giant White.**—Pure color. Immense size.

**Geneva Pink.**—(New) Pure rich color.

**Philadelphia Pink.**—Dark rich pink.

**Helen.**—A lovely pure salmon color.

**Scarlet Giant.**—Bright, showy color.

These 6 ready May 10th. Any 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c

**Crimson King.**—Beautiful rich crimson.

**Fire King.**—Striking orange scarlet.

**Golden King.**—Richest, deepest yellow.

**Harmony.**—Beautiful terra cotta and rose.

**Silver Pink.**—Soft pearly pink shade.

**The Fawn.**—Effective amber and chamois rose

Mixed Snaps from flats. 35c a doz. See bedding plants.

## Pansy Plants in Bloom

### Steele's Mastodon

During April and May we offer this famous strain of pansy plants.

**Miracle Mixed.**—In bud, 60c; in bloom, 85c.

Smaller plants in bud (ready May 1st.) at 30c per doz. Fine for Decoration Day bloom.

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## Miscellaneous Flowering Plants

All are suitable for porch boxes, baskets, etc., except those marked with a (\*)

All pot grown plants, ready for mailing after April 10th.

**ABUTILON 'Eclipse'**—Handsome variegated foliage and bright pendent, red and gold flowers. 10c.

**Ageratum, "Blue Gem" (New)**—A very fine dwarf, free-booming variety of this most useful bedding, and porch box plant. Feathery blue flowers all season. 3 for 20c; Each, 8c

**Sweet Alyssum (Double)**—Far superior to the single, having larger pure white flowers. Very fine for baskets, boxes, etc. 8c; 6 for 45c

**Anthericum**—A beautiful foliage plant for vase or box work. The ribbon-like leaves are variegated green and white. Each, 15c

**CALCEOLARIA 'Shower of Gold'**—Clusters of golden yellow flowers all season. A fine bedding plant for this climate. 15 in. in height. 19c.

**Bronze**—Very similar to above except in the color, which is rich bronze dusted with gold. 10c

**COLEUS**—Most important and best known of all the fancy leaved bedding plants. Each, 10c.

**Centaurea, Candidissima' (Dusty Miller)**—Silvery white, round leaves. Very fine for borders, porch boxes, etc. Each, 5c & 10c

**Cuphea Platycentra (Cigar Plant)**—Odd and attractive flowering plant for boxes, etc. 10c

**GERMAN IVY**—Strong growing vine for window or porch boxes, hanging baskets etc. 2 for 15c

### Heliotropes

**ALBATROSS**—Dwarf, bushy growing new pure white sort. Best of its color to date. 15

**ROYAL PURPLE**—Fine large rich purple with a white eye. Best blue heliotrope. 10c. Doz. \$1.

**MARGUERITE, Mrs. Sanders**—Covered all summer with large, anemone-shaped, semi-double pure white flowers. Used extensively in porch boxes, baskets, etc., as well as a garden plant. Very satisfactory. 10c and 15c

**MESEMBRYANTHEMUM, Spectabilis**—Quill shaped, succulent leaves with large single thistle like cerise pink flowers. Of drooping growth. Fine for baskets, porch boxes, etc. Each, 10c.

**Mesembryanthemum, Dwarfop**—Grows like the above with heart-shaped leaves. Each, 10c

**Trailing**—Fine for hanging down over and covering sides of hanging baskets, etc. 2 for 15c

**\*PILEA, Serpyllifolia (Artillery Plant)**—Odd and very interesting plant for pot culture, with fern like foliage sprays. Covered with minute reddish flowers which, at proper age, will quite forcibly discharge their pollen, hence the name. Easy to grow; like a generous amount of water. Each, .15

**VARIEGATED MYRTLE**—Glossy green leaves are margined white. Ideal vine for baskets etc. 10c

**Wandering Jew**—Fine vase and basket vine. Variegated Bronze, Plain Green or Green and white variegated. Each, 10c; 3 for 25c

## Ferns for the House

**BOSTON FERN**—This is the original and well known type of the "Sword Fern." Of easiest culture and very largely grown. 25c & 60c

**OSTRICH PLUME**—Habit of growth is like above, but the pinnae and fronds are divided, giving a feathery appearance. 25c & 60c

### ASPARAGUS FERNS

**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERII (Emerald Feather)**—A most valuable and easily grown, evergreen trailing plant for the house. Beautiful sprays of lovely green feathery foliage, which can be cut freely and used in bouquets, etc. Equally valuable as a house plant in winter for vases, baskets and porch boxes in summer. Ea, 15c & 25c

**ASPARAGUS, Plumosus (Japanese Lace Fern)**—A finer and more delicate plant than the Sprengerii, but hardy and easily grown. Nothing more delicate or attractive for the house than this. Each, 15c and 25c

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## Flowering House Plants

ORDER EARLY None sent after April 1st.

**Primrose, Giant Obconica**—Freest flowering and most desirable of house plants. Will continue blooming till May or June. Long stemmed sprays of flowers that last extra well when cut. Large plants just starting to bloom in 2 sizes. Each, 25c and 50c.

**Cinerarea, Grandiflora**—Extra large clusters of bright, velvety colored flowers; very lasting. Grow best in a cool house. Each, 35c.

**Calla Ethiopa**—(Lilly of the Nile) — A well known and easily grown house plant. Large white, trumpet-shaped flowers. Large plants starting to show buds. Each, .35

## Transplanted Vegetable Plants

Following prices include postage and packing.

**TOMATO**—1 doz. 30c; additional dozens, 20c.

**Bonny Best**—Very reliable standard sort.

**John Baer**—Extra early and very smooth.

**Murray's Early Wonder**—Extra early and a wonderful producer of large, very smooth bright red fruit. 5c a doz. more than others.

**PEPPER, Chinese Giant**, Doz., 25c; 25, 35c.

**CELERY, Self-blanching**, Doz, 25c; 25, 35c.





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Introduction

## “AUTUMN GIANT”

(White's)

A magnificent, giant peony-flowered dahlia with exceptional cane-like stems that, by disbudding, can be cut three feet in length. It is one of those beautiful autumn shades in color. A glistening golden bronze with center petals of a bronzy tint. Of wonderful form, with an ideal upright habit of growth and large, healthy, clean cut, out standing foliage. The blooms are held at just the right angle for best effect, far above the foliage, and keep extra well when cut. Much like the Eastern “Myra Valentine” in color and form, but is larger with longer, stronger stems. Each, **\$5.00**





**"GOLDEN EMBLEM"**     *The yellow with a future.*

Received the Certificate of Merit at the Northwest Trial Gardens at Puyallup, Wash.

After giving through trial we are convinced that this wonder of wonders is one of, if not the finest, largest, purest, deep rich yellow dahlias in existence today. A clear, golden yellow, without shading or any traces of any other color whatsoever. The huge flowers, 9 to 10 in. across, are of the most artistic and refined form imaginable with their high centers and long, wavy, recurving petals. Blooms are erect on long, wiry stems, far above foliage. Of fine substance, keeping as long as any dahlia of its size, when cut or on the plant. Blooms early and freely all season long. Always the most attractive pure yellow with visitors in our Gardens or when exhibited at the Dahlia Shows.

Tubers, **\$5.00**

## Annual Bedding Plants and Seeds

All Annuals grow to full maturity and bloom the first year and then perish. Many will be better if seed is started early inside and transplanted when an inch high after middle of April

**Strong, healthy, transplanted plants, ready for delivery from first week in May till the middle of June.** Ageratum, Alyssum, Lobelia, Phlox, Petunias and Verbenas are fine for porch boxes, hanging baskets, tubs, etc.

**PLANTS**—All are **30c.** per Dozen, except where price is stated otherwise.

**NOT POSTPAID**—If any of the following plants are wanted by parcel post, add 10c for the first dozen and 5c for additional dozens.

### ASTERS

In the past few years the Aster has probably become the most popular of annuals. They grow to perfection in our mild, cool climate. No other annual makes such a garden display during the late summer and fall months. A grand cut flower. They require a rich, moist soil.

**OREGON GIANTS**—The finest strain of the famous fluffy Comet type yet produced. In bloom from mid-August thru September.

Pure White    Rose Pink    Purple  
Shell Pink                      Mixed

Pacific Beauty—Best lavender

**California Giants**—Latest in flowering of all types and probably the largest. Unusually vigorous in growth. Of lasting substance.

Peach Blossom    Light Blue  
Rose Pink    Deep Purple    Mixed.

**Heart of France**—Pure ruby red. Very fine.

\***The 'Sunshine'** (Improved Anemone flowered) A wonderful, lasting cut flower. Something different. All lovely colors Mixed.

**AGERATUM, Imperial Blue**—Light blue. Ideal border plant. Height 9 inches.

**ALYSSUM, Little Gem**—Very dwarf growing with a mass of sweet scented white flowers all summer. Ideal for borders, baskets and rockery.

**Lilac Queen**, Same as above except color.

**CARNATION, Early, Perpetual Flowering Mixed.** Plants bloom in four to five months after sowing and continue all summer. Flowers are large, fully 80% are double and in a great variety of colors. Plants a dozen, 40c

**CELOSIA, Childsii (Chinese Woolflower)**—About 2 ft. high with magnificent feathery blooms of rich carmine red, resembling a ball of red wool. Dozen, 40c.

**Chrysantheflora (New)**—Half dwarf plants with monster heads of flowers in great variety of colors; salmon, pink, orange, etc. .50

**CLARKIA, Double Mixed**—Charming annual, blooming all summer. Spikes of double flowers in shades of scarlet, orange salmon and rose. Like partial shade.

**Salmon Queen**—Double, rich salmon pink.

**COSMOS, New Early Double Mixed**—Tall growing plants for late summer or fall blooms. Sow in April.

**SEEDS**—We offer seed of all the following plants, except those with a (\*), of which we have only plants to offer.

All 10c per packet or 3 for 25c, except where priced otherwise.

**DELPHINIUM, "Blue Butterfly"**—An annual variety of this popular flower, producing large, bright blue flower spikes. Doz, .50

**DIDISCUS, Coerulea (Blue Lace Flower)**—Lovely light blue clusters of blooms on fine stems for cutting from April till frost. 18 inches high. Dozen, 40c.

**HELICHRYSUM, Finest Mixed (Everlasting Flower)**—Double straw-like flowers. The largest and most satisfactory of everlastings for dried bouquets.

**KOCHIA (Summer Cypress)**—Forms cypress-like plants to the height of 2 1/2 ft. In the autumn the whole plant becomes a deep red. Ideal for hedges. Dozen, 40c.

**LOBELIA, Compacta**—Small, round compact plants forming little mounds of deep blue flowers; for borders.

**Sapphire, Trailing** (for hanging baskets, etc.)—Large deep blue with large white eye.

### MARIGOLD

An old favorite, free flowering annual of very easy culture. Extremely effective and well adapted for large beds or borders. Succeed best in light soil and full sun.

**Tall African in Lemon Golden & Orange Prince.**

**Dwarf French in Golden Ball; Lemon Ball, Mahogany, rich brown; Gold Striped, gold, striped brown and Mixed.**

**LEGION OF HONOR**—(Dwarf Single French) Deep red, banded with gold. Very showy for borders.

**NEMESIA**—Splendid border plant; blooms continuously all season, if topped and watered well when it begins to go to seed.

**Dwarf Large Flowering Hybrids.**

**PETUNIAS, Ruffled Giants**—Often 5 inches in diameter; of every shade of crimson, pink, lavender, pure white, black, light yellow, etc. Dozen, 40c. Pkt. 25c

**Rosy Morn**, Compact growth, literally covered with small flowers of soft rose-pink.

**PHLOX DRUMMONDI, Special Mixed**—Beautiful and effective annual for borders or massing in beds.

\***Sutton's Fireball**—Grows only 6 in. high. Fine color

**SALPIGLOSSIS, Finest Mixed**—Showy, funnel-shaped flowers of many beautiful shades, veined and penciled.

**SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)**—A grand bedding plant with long spikes of brightest red flowers. Especially fine from August till frost.

**FIREBALL**—Compact bush about 1 1/2 ft. high.

\***AMERICA—NEW**—Earliest and freest flowering. 50c

## Annual Plants & Seeds continued

PLANTS 30c a dozen, SEEDS 10c a pkt., unless priced

**SCABIOSA**, Mixed (Pin Cushion Flower)—Summer flowering, growing 2 ft. high and giving a profusion of flowers in exquisite shades on long stems. Fine cut flower.

**Azure Eairy**—Beautiful new, large soft blue variety.

**SCHIZANTHUS**, Garraway's New Hybrids (Butterfly Flower)—Easy, quick growing plant with a multitude of small butterfly-like flowers of various colors. 1½ ft.

**STOCKS**—Giant Dwarf 10 Weeks in Blood red, White, Pink, Blue and Mixed.

**Giant Perfection**—Will bloom from July till frost. Double, Mixed colors.

### SNAPDRAGONS (Antirrhinum)

One of the most popular flowers for general garden culture. Long spikes of bloom that have become immensely popular of late as cut flowers. Start early and transplant.

**Crimson King**—Beautiful rich crimson.

**Fire King**—Striking orange scarlet.

**Golden King**—Richest, deepest yellow.

**Harmony**—Beautiful terra cotta and rose.

**Silver Pink**—Soft pearly pink shade.

**The Fawn**—Effective amber and chamis rose

**Maximium**, Mixed—A giant flowering strain.

\***Sutton's 'Crimson King'**—Tom Thumb Type, growing only 6 inches high. Ideal border plant.

**VERBENA**—One of the finest garden annuals. For beds, borders, mounds, porch boxes, etc.

**Mammoth White**—Extra choice and pure.

**Mayflower**—Various shades of pink.

**Lucifer**—Rich, deep cardinal red.

**Dark Blue**—Rich and velvety.

**Mammoth Mixed**—All colors.

### GIANT ZINNIAS

Most gorgeous and easily grown annuals, that are becoming more popular every season.

**New Robusta or Giant Flowering**—We offer: Salmon Rose, Apricot Deep Flesh, Red, Violet, Rich Rose or Mixed. Doz., .40

**New Dahlia Flowered**—A new and distinct race of Zinnia with immense flowers, of very sturdy growth and longest of stems.

**Finest Mixed**—All clean colors. Dozen, .60

**Liliput, Double Mixed**—Only 12 inches high bristling with tiny, very double flowers.

\***Red Riding Hood**—Like above of of an intense scarlet. Effective for borders. Doz., .40

\***Crested & Curled, Mixed**—Large flowers with petals twisted and curved. Dozen, .40

### 2 Annual Vines. Plants only.

**COBEA SCANDENS**, Cups and saucer vine—Of very rapid growth for covering trellises etc. Will cling to any rough surface. Bell-shaped purple flowers. Plants, 10c.

**THUNBERGIA**, (Black Eyed Susan)—Rapid growing Vine. Fine for porch boxes or fences etc. 2 for 15c

## FLOWER SEEDS (No Plants)

**CANDYTUFT**—An old favorite bedding plant. Sow in April for June flowers. **Giant Hyacinth**—fld. White. Queen of Italy—Large pink flowers. Dwarf.

### NASTURTIUMS

Too well known to need description. For covering trellises, fences, arbors, etc., or to trail from vases and over rockwork, nothing can equal the gorgeous effect given by the tall varieties. The dwarf are fine for bedding and edgings and grow quickly. Flower best on poorer soil.

#### TALL OR CLIMBING

**Giant Scarlet**—Large bright scarlet of fine form.

**Twilight**—Salmon and buff, shaded rosy scarlet.

**Cloth of Gold**—Velvety maroon; foliage golden yellow.

**Sunlight**—Clear, rich golden yellow. Extra large.

**Tall Giant Mixed**—All the above and many others.

#### DWARF VARIETIES

**Aurora**—Bright chrome yellow, veined deep carmine.

**Empress of India**—Rich salmon-scarlet flowers and deep purplish green leaves. Grand for borders or beds.

**Dwarf Ivy-Leaved Mixed**—Great range of colors not found in the plain leaved sorts. Give these a trial.

**GYPSOPHILA**, Elegans—The beautiful annual Baby Breath; myriads of small white flowers, highly desirable for bouquet making. Easily grown from seed.

**PANSY**, Steele's Mastodon—For large size and rare and beautiful colorings this strain, produced by a Portland specialist, equals any in the world. Pkt. 15c.

For Pansy Plants look on page 27.

### SPENCER SWEET PEAS

A very choice, up to date selection from the multitude of varieties offered today. All are of the new giant waved and fluted 'Spencer' type.

**KING WHITE**—The newest and finest pure white.

**DAISYBUD**—Apple blossom, tinted cream-pink.

**HERCULES**—A magnificent soft rose-pink self. Of great substance; large size and beautifully waved.

**TANGERINE**—The last word in deep orange colored Sweet Peas. Extra large and well placed on stems.

**MRS. CUTHBERTSON**—The standard is rose pink and the wings are white, flushed light rose; distinct.

**VERMILION BRILLIANT**—The most brilliant, iridescent scarlet yet produced. Strong vines; 15 inch stems.

**HAWLMARK LAVENDER**—Easily the best and purest of the true lavender. Flowers are of largest size.

**MRS. TOM JONES**—A real true blue; extra fine.

**HAWLMARK MAROON**—Magnificent, well-waved flowers of rich shining maroon. Strong grower; long stems.

**SENATOR**—A varying combination of deep claret and chocolate, striped and flaked on a ground of lavender.

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All flower lovers and especially Dahlia enthusiasts should try and see the Dahlias during September or early October, as we honestly believe it will be time well spent.

## Directions How to Reach Our Gardens

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care and diligence acquires a  
greater stock of religious merit  
than he could gain by the repetition of ten thousand prayers."*

—ZOROASTER

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*When you think of Dahlias,*

*Just think of White;*

*You can then rest assured*

*You are THINKING RIGHT.*